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Hope a Family School

Third Generation

The Founder of Hope College, Albertus C. Van Raalte, "looks down with pride" on the five grandchildren of the late Rev. Herman Maassen '16 on Campus now. They are, left to right: Peter Maassen, freshman; Tim Vander Haar, senior; David Vander Haar, sophomore; Ruth Maassen, junior; and Susan Maassen, freshman.



The Rev. John Maassen, field secretary, Particular Synod of Chicago, RCA, wrote to the alumni secretary following receipt of the Winter issue of the Alumni Magazine. "You will be interested to know that there are five third generation Hopeites on campus this year, all grandchildren of the late Rev. Herman Maassen '16.

"Susan Maassen is the daughter of the Rev. John H. '42 and Harriet B. Muyskens '47 Maassen, South Holland, Illinois. She is a freshman. Her sister Elizabeth Maassen Hoogheem graduated in 1971.

"Peter and Ruth Ann Maassen are the children of the late Rev. Pierce E. '53 and Edith Herlein '47 Maassen. Peter is a fresh-

students.

His father is a dentist and Brad has already worked with his father as a dental assistant. So he's dentist bound in the Sloan science program. His hope is to complete his pre-dental work in three years and go right on to the University of Michigan for his D.D.S. degree. In fact Brad says, "I wish I were ready to practice right now. I love to work with my hands and really like to work in my Dad's office."

In his Lake Odessa High School, Brad lettered three years in golf, a sport he started playing in the eighth grade, his Dad plays a lot. He was second and first man on his team during his senior year. He also played baseball his junior and senior years. He made the honor society in his junior year, finished 15th in his class of one hundred ninety.

Brad's interest in sports includes hunting. He and his Dad go pheasant hunting on the "first day" every year. Snow skiing and water skiing are second to his love of golf.

He's busy. He says, "The last two years of my life have gone so fast. I can't believe I'm out of high school already." Brad worked at the Keebler Company making cookies in Grand Rapids last summer, hopes to work there again this coming summer. He earns enough there to help substantially

man and Ruth Ann a second semester transfer student from St. John's College in Maryland. They live in Fremont.

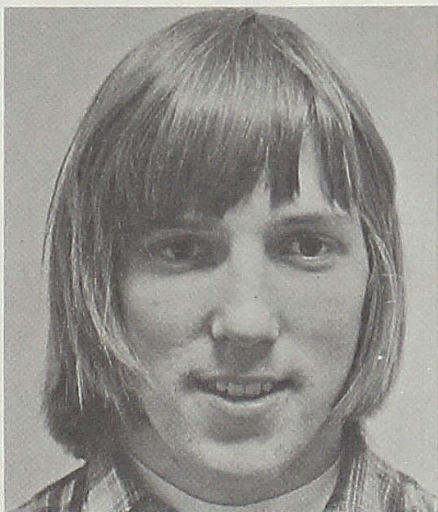
"Timothy and David Vander Haar are the sons of the Rev. Delbert J. '44 and Gertrude Maassen '47 Vander Haar, Orange City, Iowa.

"Susan has a grandfather, a great uncle, her parents, ten uncles and aunts, two sisters and six cousins who are at, or have attended Hope College." That count is 22.

In a subsequent letter from Mr. Maassen, he wrote: "In reflecting upon the large number of relatives of third-generation Susan, I was reminded of her great uncles Gerrit ('20) and John D. ('14) Muyskens, also graduates on her mother's side. Gerrit was a longtime Michigan educator, while John was a career missionary in South India for the RCA.

"Sue's mother also reminds me that additional research may unearth other great uncles and even great-great uncles of Susan via the Muyskens Clan. Possibly Revs. Arie (P. '02-editor) and John P. Muyskens ('18) who served in the Presbyterian Church, Dr. William Muyskens ('11), a Detroit dentist, and Miss Marie Muyskens, a missionary for the RCA in Kentucky."

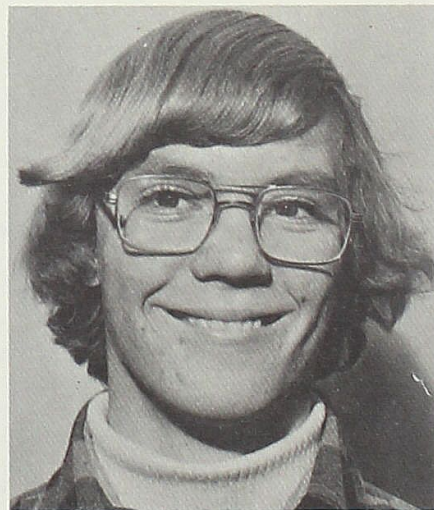
Editor's note: Adding four of those in the second letter (Susan had one great uncle listed in the first letter) the count is now 26 for Susan. Can Anyone top this figure?



Bradly Van Zyl, grandson of Bertha Brower Van Zyl, a graduate of the Prep School in 1917, now living in Lacey, Washington and the late Gerrit Van Zyl '18, is a third generation freshman. His parents are Dr. Allison '50 and Carol Prigge '49 Van Zyl of Lake Odessa, Michigan. Brad's grandfather was professor and chairman of the Chemistry Department for forty-one years, and so taught multiple generations of Hope

with his College expenses. He worked one summer in the pro shop at the Ionia golf course.

Brad has a married sister at Ferris State College, a brother in the eighth grade, and a sister in the fifth grade.



Jon Post, freshman from Huntingdon, Pennsylvania, is a third generation Hope man. He enjoys biology, he'll probably major in that, but he also likes his psychol-

ogy course in animal behavior. In fact, Jon says, "I am interested in many things, in all my courses. I'll probably be here for five or six years because I want to take so many things. When I study I want to go where the study leads me, even beyond the assignment."

Quite involved in his high school years, Jon played the tuba in the band, was a biology lab assistant, basketball manager, belonged to the Ecology Club, and was a member of the tennis team. He won first in the Voice of Democracy speech contest in his junior year.

Jon likes chorus work also, and sings in the Presbyterian Church Choir which his mother directs. His mother is Mary Ellen Brower Post '48 who teaches literature in the Huntingdon Area High School. His father is Ernest H. Post Jr. '48, a history professor at Juniata College. His maternal grandparents are the Reverend Bert '23 and Susanna Hamelink '22 Brower of Grand Haven. Jon has a sister, Mary who will graduate from Beloit College this year and a brother, Paul at Wooster. His younger sister, Susanna (named for her grandmother Brower) is in high school.

Fourth Generation

Anna May Engelsman Teusink, Glen Rock, New Jersey, wrote about her Hopeite family: My grandfather, Rev. John Huizenga, was graduated in Hope's second class, the Class of 1867. There were three ministers, he being one of them; one schoolmaster and two business men, six in all.

Uncle Abram J. Muste, the famous pacifist, was graduated in 1905. (Many Huizenga relatives also were graduated from the College.)

I am a 1930 graduate, my husband, Howard Teusink, 1936. My father, Rev. John Engelsman, attended Hope three years (being older, the trustees allowed him to go to Western Seminary without a Hope diploma as he lacked but a couple of credits). My brother Henry E. graduated in 1934, my sister Alice Engelsman Redeker, in 1936, also a brother Jack E. (John), in the late 30's.

Without any compulsion our son Paul decided to attend Hope. He was graduated in 1964. We were amazed when Ken followed (brothers often don't go to the same college) and made it in the Class of 1967. His wife, Sharon Dykstra, is a 1968 graduate.

Howard loves being one of Dr. Peale's associate ministers. He holds down two jobs, Stewardship minister and Parish Minister; he is busy of course.

Paul received his M.D. degree from the University of Michigan this last July and became a regular staff member at Menninger's Clinic, Topeka, Kansas, in psychiatry.

Ken received his M.A. at the University of Michigan in Business Administration and after three years in the Navy and training in banking, moved this past December 17th to San Jose, California where he is a commer-

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This edition's cover picture is a creation by a Hope sophomore, Donald A. Seise, from Rochelle Park, New Jersey. As well as doing this cover, he is art editor and photographer for Hope's yearbook, Milestone 1974. Don is also a photographer for the Campus Photography Unit. His art has also led him to be Art Director for WTAS, as well as a Saturday morning disc jockey under the name "Uncle Al" . . . "Al" as he is better known, is a member of the Emersonian Fraternity as was his next oldest brother, Timothy (Class of '72). Before Timothy, Hope also witnessed the musical talents of Jeffrey (Class of '69) who is now teaching music in Park Ridge, New Jersey.

Besides attending Hope College, Al is attending Famous Artist School of Westport, Conn., by correspondence, from which he hopes to graduate this May. However, as a recently accepted art major on Hope's campus, Al hopes to graduate, May 1976 . . . "and from there – who knows!"

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The Year of the Student

The Alumni Magazine has named 1974 the "Year of the Student." This is an effort to assure the nearly 12,000 alumni that the students today are updated models of themselves and, in fact, of those eight young men who comprised the first class in 1866. Although each Hope student is definitely an individual, many observers have noticed that all have a common denominator: The Hope Spirit! The Winter issue of this Magazine featured this year's third and fourth generation freshmen. For this Spring issue, the chairmen of all academic departments were asked to nominate a student or two, not necessarily the best academically, but students who had some experience that would make a story. Those selected for this issue were asked to write articles about themselves; most of them did and seemed pleased to be asked to do it. A variation in style, and fresh, compact modern writing is the result. Here they are!



"A Strange Breed of Man"

In the words of a prominent sportscaster, Howard Cossell, the men that participate in motor sports competition are "... a strange breed of man. . . ." Among us here at Hope College we have one of these rare specimen whose story is a rather interesting one.

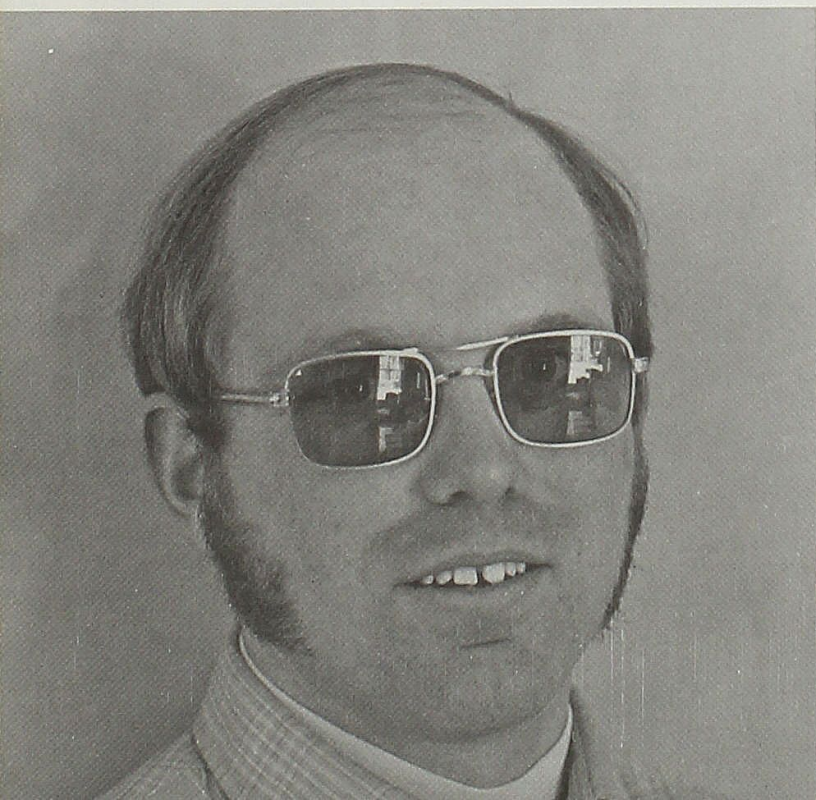
A senior honor student majoring in chemistry, Larry Schaidt, is also a card-carrying professional motorcycle racer. He is 24 years old, married, and a veteran of the Viet-Nam conflict. His life is split by many dedications; the two greatest being his academic career and his racing career. Not your normal chemistry student, he is seldom found working diligently on a research project or reading chemistry journals to all hours of the night. He is concerned about his education, he says, that being his main reason for choosing Hope College. The chemistry department, both in faculty and facilities, was the best available to his discrete way of thinking. He was willing to sacrifice a round trip journey each day from Grand Rapids for the chance to attend a first rate institution.

Instead of finding him in the laboratory at two o'clock in the morning, you're more likely to find him laboring away in his workshop or deeply involved in some other facet of his racing. Going to school alone, is a strain for the wife of a student, but to have your husband trying to earn a living by racing, ??? Larry's wife, Gail, has had to endure many tense moments because of his endeavors, some of them not so pleasant. But she has accepted this difficult role and has met the challenge in a most direct and successful manner.

Larry has competed actively for seven years, with a three year interruption for his military service. The 1973 season was his first endeavor in professional competition since his return from Viet-Nam in 1971. Last year he gained national prominence by finishing seventh in championship points in the fourteen state central United States region. His sights are set higher for the 1974 season, and it's a sure bet that he will give it all the time and effort possible for a man in his position. That stubborn German streak of his shows up quite strongly when a challenge is presented to Larry, and he makes up his mind to meet it.

Right now his career goals are a little hazy. He worked part-time for the Grand Rapids Police Department as an assistant to the chemist, assisting in the analysis of drugs and other police related materials. His sights have been directed somewhat along that line with his major interest in chemistry being in the organic field.

What more can you say about a talented young man? His whole life can be best described in one word, ACTIVE; but he wouldn't stand to have it any other way. Besides, to change this dynamic characteristic of Larry's would render him unrecognizable to many on the Hope campus.



“Busy, Happy and Stimulating”

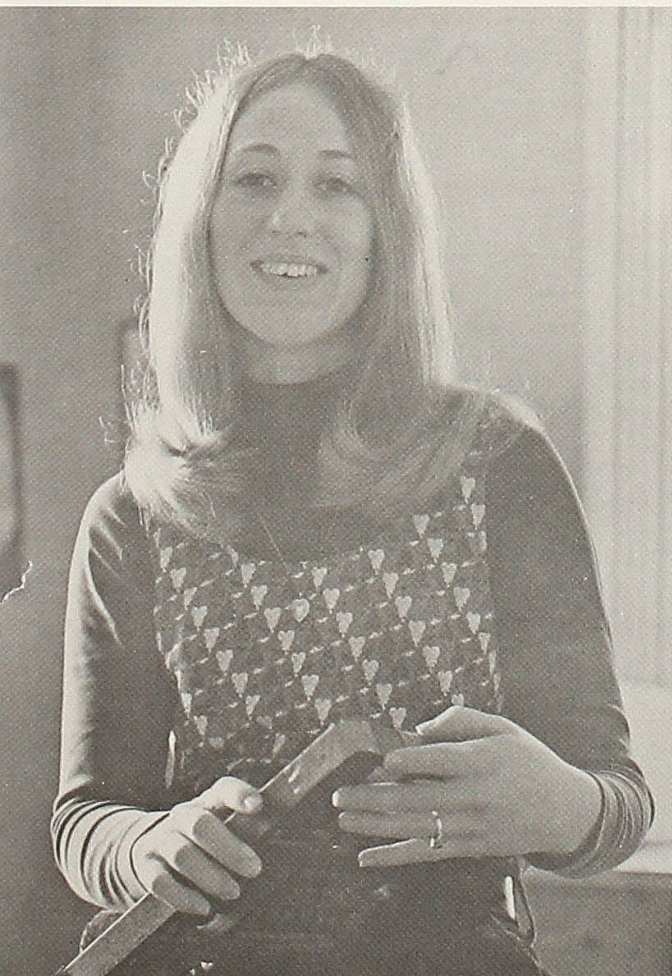
The beauty of Dimnent Memorial Chapel first attracted Mary Vlieger to Hope College. Upon looking into the academic, social and religious aspects of the college she was even more impressed. Despite the 750 miles between Holland and her home in Sioux Center, Iowa, Mary decided to make Hope her college home.

As a junior math major, Mary is beginning to think of graduation and her teaching career. She followed her father's example; he graduated from Hope in 1942 with a math major, taught for a while and is now in a management position. Mary is also working on a science composite minor. She hopes to teach a math or math-science combination on the junior high level.

Education is personal as well as academic growth. In this area Mary has pledged the Alpha Gamma Phi sorority. As a resident advisor of Cluster 1-6 in Dykstra Hall, she greatly enjoys working and living with the girls. She enjoys sports and participates in the intramural athletic program.

Lake Michigan is a favorite of Mary's. She has spent the last two summers working as a counselor at Camp Geneva, located just north of Holland. She sees this experience valuable to her growth as a Christian as well as excellent preparation for teaching and working with youth.

Mary's years at Hope have been busy, happy and stimulating. The lessons she has learned here will contribute greatly to her growth and development as an individual.



Contemporary Christian

David Daubenspeck, senior from Holland, is enthusiastic about his commitment to Jesus Christ. His goal is to be a missionary broadcaster on radio and/or TV; thus using his talent in radio broadcasting to share his faith.

David will enter Fuller Theological Seminary next year where he expects to get his M.Div. degree in three years; then perhaps pick up his masters in communications in a year. A communications major, at Hope, the four years of graduate study should adequately prepare David for his work toward his goal.

“Providence lead me to WJBL when I was in high school,” says Dave. “I have worked there since that time as an announcer and newscaster.” WJBL is a Holland radio station with a religious emphasis. In Holland High, Dave competed in the local, regional and state Radio News section of forensics competition.

In the summer of 1973, Dave went to Quito, Ecuador to work with World Radio Missionary Fellowship. His work was in the area of Christian Ministry broadcasting on station HCJB, one of three radio stations of the WRMF. Operating AM, FM, and short wave in 18 languages, these stations cover 80% of the world. The RCA Temple Time beams over HCJB in English and Spanish.

As an independent study project in his Communications Course, Dave is currently designing a Christian rock program for transmission of two 15 minute programs per week over WJBL and WTAS, the Hope radio station. He looks upon this project as a means of soft sell evangelism through the medium of today's music. He calls his program “A New Song,” a contemporary Christian youth music program. He researches “up tempo” religious and secular records for these broadcasts. Dave says, “I find some very inspirational philosophy in some secular music: George Harrison's ‘The Light that Lights the World,’ and Harrison's ‘Give Me Peace on Earth’ are examples. They are searching music. Those two pieces have to be interpreted as ‘Christ is the answer’.”

In the Communications Department, Dave was one of five students who worked as a task group on the preparation of a departmental calendar for promotional purposes.

Besides his work as an announcer at WJBL fifteen hours a week, his curriculum study, his devoted time with the Campus Crusade Master Action Group of the Ministry of Christ's People, David is a member of the Chapel Choir, the Arcadian Fraternity, and a resident advisor at his campus residence.

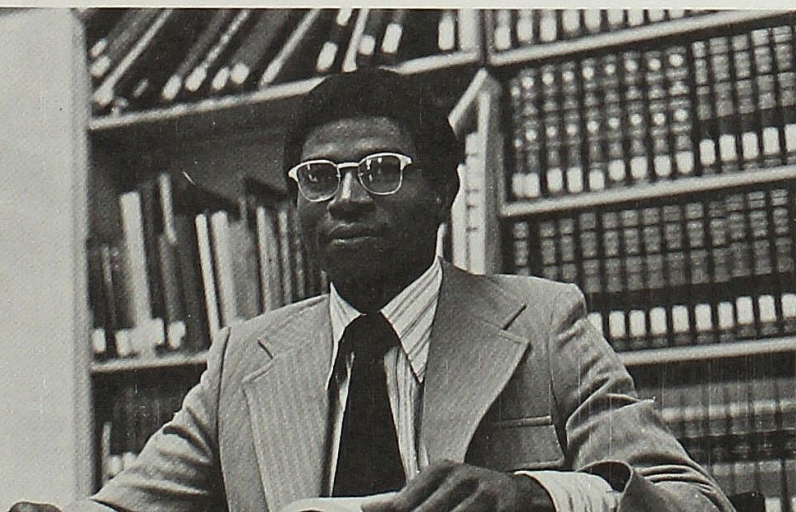


Finally, Class of '74

Christian J. Njemma is one of Hope's "Geneva Scholars" from Africa; with double majors in English and economics, Class of 1974. His home is in Iho near Owerri, in the heart of the war-ravaged Secessionist Eastern Region of the Nigerian Civil War. The third of the six children of John and Elizabeth Njemma, Christian completed his high school education at Stella Maris Secondary School in Port-Harcourt, Nigeria, graduating as the valedictorian of his class in 1966.

Through the Geneva Scholarship Funds and the Hope College International Education programs, Christian was enrolled to study at Hope in 1967, but the outbreak of the Nigerian Civil War set him back by four years. By 1971, funds were made available again and he finally arrived to begin courses at Hope. He plans to study for advanced degrees and on the completion of these, to return to his country and teach English Language and Literature.

When asked about his impressions during his studies at Hope, Christian commented: "Hope College is Holland, and Holland is Hope College. The twain are harmoniously coalesced to offer students an equitable academic environment, and the sum and substance of western cultural vitality."



"A Total Involvement"

Nancy Sigworth, a theatre major from Buffalo, N.Y., holds a fairly un-romantic view of her involvement in the performing arts. Whether she is acting, dancing or doing a mime, it is far more than the roar of the crowd and the smell of the grease-paint that counts. "Theatre is not just learning lines, coming up with clever bits and performing them for the fun of it. It is a total involvement, a way of life, and a serious self exploration. Without a strong commitment and willingness to give honestly of oneself, an artist in the theatre cannot effectively express himself."

While at Hope College, Nancy has explored several areas of the theatre. She was a part of the first Hope Summer Theatre. The theatre department's artist-in-residence program has brought her in contact with a number of professionals including award winning actor, Jose Ferrer. She has studied with professional choreographer, Rich Rahn who teaches dance performance at Hope.

In 1972 she spent a semester in New York City on the GLCA-New York Arts Program where she worked with the famous Nikolais Dance Theatre and the American Mime Theatre. Nancy's special interest and aptitude in mime prompted her to spend a good portion of last summer in Maine studying with one of the country's leading mime artists, Tony Montenaro and his Celebration Mime Theatre. Earlier this year she taught a mime workshop on campus and plans to direct one of Michel de Ghelderode's rarely produced mime plays.

As an actress Nancy's latest appearance at Hope was in the recent production of *Cabaret* when she played two roles including a dancing gorilla. Last semester she was seen as a raucous maid in *The Servant of Two Masters* and as the delicate Yelena in *Uncle Vanya* (see picture).

She also works as an assistant to the theatre department in charge of make up — a job that has called upon her to build false noses, transfer youthful actors to old age and constructing historically accurate *commedia del arte* masks. She has, in addition, directed for a student produced play festival and participated in several departmental workshops and demonstrations.

As Nancy looks toward the future she is interested in combining the various aspects of theatre performance (mime, acting and dance) into one whole technique. "The theatre is constantly changing trying to relate to the current conditions in the world. Right now there seems to be a genuine movement afoot to discover a form that can best speak to our age. It will be a powerful, total theatre and I want to participate." Nancy's first step in this direction will come this summer when she will participate in the Hope-Dubrovnik program in Yugoslavia. While there, she will work with students and teachers from other American schools and from Yugoslavian academies.



Businesswoman

E. Marie French, a junior business administration major from Bangor, Michigan, is a Hope College student of note. She is one of a slowly increasing number of women who are becoming leaders in the former man's world of business.

To her credit is the fact that Marie worked for a year before continuing on to college. This period enabled her to determine her desire for a liberal arts education, and decide that such an education, with a Business Administration emphasis, was the course she wanted to pursue. This working period also has given Marie a deep appreciation of the knowledge she is gaining from the liberal arts and has caused her to really work to get the best possible education.

Since her admission to Hope, Marie has been awarded a George F. Baker Jr. Scholarship given to aid the development of managerial talent. She is the current vice-president of the Baker Scholars. Marie feels that the Baker Scholarship, which was awarded in the spring of her sophomore year, has a very valuable program which enables the scholars to combine their textbook knowledge with a wide range of valuable business experience. During the Fall semester of 1973, the Baker Scholars undertook a study to determine the feasibility of setting up student run businesses in order to provide the students with experience, academic credit, and financial benefit. Marie, along with another Baker Scholar, is engaged in the creation of a proposal to set up a student run Accounting and Management Service which would employ Hope students as accountants to service the surrounding community. The Baker Scholarship has also set up a "Mentor Program" between community businessmen and scholars in order to expose the scholars to various business areas and enable them to gain from a working relationship with the businessmen.

Among her other activities, Marie is an active participant in the Business Administration Department, being the elected student representative from the Baker Scholar Group, along with being a part-time student assistant to the Department. Marie is also an active member and the current treasurer of the Sigma Iota Beta Sorority. She and her roommate, Helen Dingwall, lead a second-grade Bluebird Troop, named the Butterflies, at Holland's Jefferson School. In addition to these extra-curricular activities, Marie enjoys cooking, sewing, knitting, crocheting, and various other needlecrafts and handicrafts, which she employs to make things for her family, friends, and herself.

After becoming a Certified Public Accountant, Marie plans to pursue a management career in the Finance or Production areas. She hopes to remain in the mid-west area after graduation.

All American . . . Politics

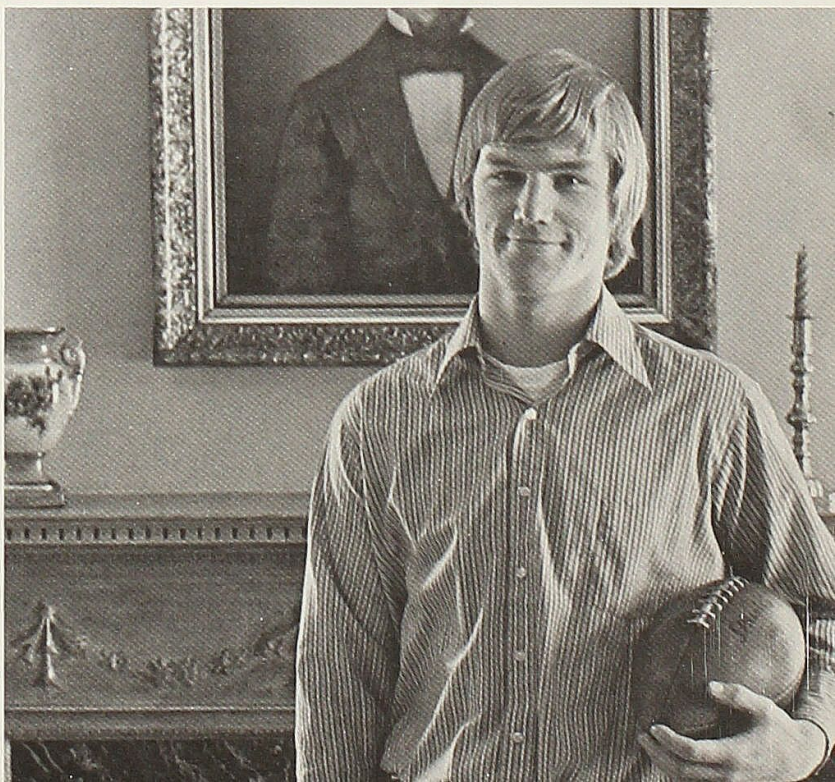
Ron Posthuma, a senior from Grand Rapids, is interested in pursuing a career in government. At the present time Ron's plans include graduate school at either Syracuse University or the University of Michigan where he would study in the field of public administration. Eventually he hopes to work as a congressional staff aide specializing in urban affairs.

Ron has been the recipient of many awards during his years at Hope, one of the highest being named to the 1973 College Division Academic All-American Football Team, one of just two Michigan collegians named to the team. Another was the prestigious National Collegiate Athletic Association \$1,000 postgraduate scholarship. This award was established to recognize student-athletes and was presented to 10 students in the College Division of the NCAA. Ron, who is the first Hope student ever to receive this award had one of the highest grade points (3.83) of the College Division recipients. He had formerly been named a Presidential Scholar and Baker Business Scholar.

While at Hope, Ron lettered four years on the football team at defensive tackle. He was named to the all-MIAA squad this past season; the Flying Dutchmen captured the championship with an unbeaten record.

Besides Ron's talents on the football field he has also been active in campus affairs. He is presently president of the Student Congress, a member of the advisory committee to President Van Wylen and liaison to the Board of Trustees. He has been on the Dormitory Council and the Campus Life Board for three years in addition to playing a role in one of Hope's theatre productions.

A political science and history major at Hope, Ron spent the spring of 1973 in the Washington Semester Program, where he served as an intern in the office of Gerald Ford.



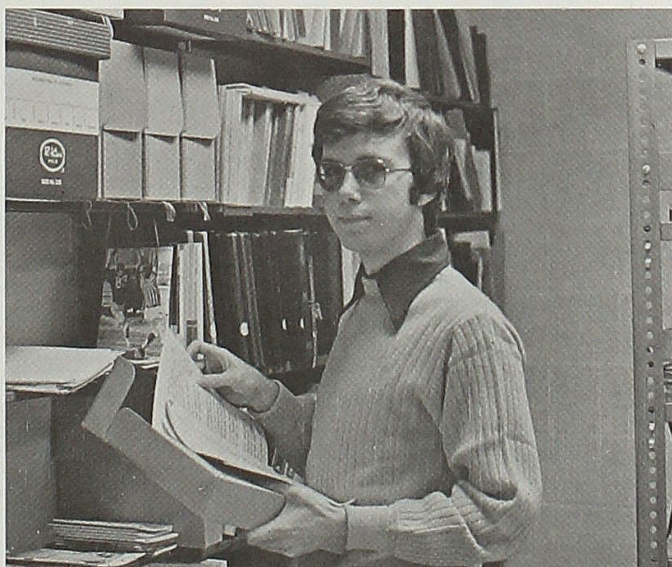
"Not Dutch, Not Reformed"

What brings a student who is not Dutch, not Reformed, and not interested in chemistry five hundred miles from home to the shores of Lake Michigan for his college education? "The friendliness of the people on campus, I guess," Kevin Echart replies, "along with the impression that here was a college community that was honestly striving to combine a Christian commitment with academic excellence. I thought the result of such a combination would be a quality life-style, and I've found a good deal of that at Hope."

For three years Kevin, a junior from Belle Vernon, Pennsylvania, remained a student-at-large, sampling a variety of courses from many departments, but this semester he has settled down to declare a major in his first love — history. "I think history provides a framework into which a lot of subjects — philosophy, literature, art, etc. — can be fit. Beside that, it gives a perspective often missing in twentieth-century American life." This perspective was sharpened this summer when Kevin traveled in Europe with the Vienna Summer School, an experience he considers the focal point of his education. "At school you tend to be somewhat sheltered and isolated; being immersed in another culture and its values, seeing firsthand what before you have only gotten from books — that really secures the value of an education."

This fall Kevin had another type of firsthand experience, working with primary documents in the Hope Archives while writing a biographical paper on Dr. Gerrit Van Zyl, long-time chairman of Hope's chemistry department. "I felt like a real historian, researching not just other people's work, but the original stuff."

What about Kevin's future plans? He hopes to attend graduate school "somewhere back East. After that my interest in Europe may lead to work overseas, but I'm also considering college teaching as a career. As I see it, college teaching enables you to pursue your own scholarly work in a community of people with similar academic interests. It is a more integrated life than many professions, a continuous living and learning process, and with the possibility of a real ministry to people. Several professors here had a real impact on me inside and outside the classroom. Teaching would be an opportunity to share that."



"Potomac Fever"

As chairman of Hope College Republicans and columnist for the *Anchor*, senior political science major *Chadwick Busk* believes that political expression and participation should be a vital interest of every American. "Political involvement should be regarded as one of the highest contributions a person can make to his country, rather than the lowest," he says. "People must see that the old stereotype of 'corrupt politics' is a poor rationale for political apathy."

While at Hope, Busk has engaged in activities that might be viewed as developing skills essential to a successful political career. In addition to heading campus Republicans, he is vice-chairman of the Michigan League of College Republicans. He has won numerous tournament awards for intra-collegiate forensics, especially debate, and is a member of the honorary forensics organization, Pi Kappa Delta. In 1971 he received the George Birkhoff Award for the best freshman English composition. He is also a member of Eta Sigma Phi, a national honorary classical languages society.

In the 1972 campaign, Busk was in charge of the Republican vote-getting effort on campus for an internship course under the direction of Dr. Jack Holmes. Following the election in January, he went to Washington, D.C. as one of the Hope students selected to participate in the Washington Semester Program at the American University. While in the nation's capital, Busk attended discussions with Congressmen, lobbyists, the press, and officials of the Executive branch. In addition, he participated in the Young Republican Leadership Conference, an event highlighted by a White House reception. Busk returned briefly to Washington last October with a delegation from Hope to attend the Pacem in Terris III conference. He admits to having a classic case of "Potomac fever."

When asked whether or not he will go into politics, Chad Busk invariably grins and replies that it is not a question of one "going into" politics but of political opportunities which may arise, causing "politics to get into you." Anyway, there are more immediate things in his future. After graduation in May, he hopes to attend Notre Dame Law School, where he plans to specialize in International Law.

Political Science at Hope College

by Chad Busk

Politics in the 1970's presents a picture of both confusion and certitude. Bombings, wars, scandals, and crises heighten confusion while orderly elections, enduring constitutions, and stable bureaucracies denote underlying certitude.

At Hope, political scientists strive to describe and analyze this confusion and certitude through the use of many different tools, methods, and opportunities. The result is that graduates who majored in Political Science have found attractive job positions in law, government service on all levels, education, business, and industry. An outstanding congressman, a member of the State Department Policy Planning Staff, a member of the President's Executive Office and a top *Newsweek* writer are but a few that Hope points to with pride. Furthermore, studies show that for certain types of functions in commercial firms, political and social science majors are preferred to business majors. Anthony Fusaro of Northern Illinois University explains the reason for this. "Presumably," he writes, "their more broadly-based undergraduate programs have better prepared them to deal with people and to more fully understand the broader implications of questions they must cope with."

The Hope Political Science Department has a number of unique qualities that facilitate the student's understanding of the discipline. First and foremost is a faculty of four full-time and two temporary professors, with Ph.D.s from Colorado, Denver, Duke, Harvard, Iowa, and Michigan.

Dr. Renze L. Hoeksema is one of the newest members of the staff, coming to Hope in September, 1971 after spending over twenty years as a career foreign service officer. Dr. Hoeksema received his Ph.D. from Harvard (one of his classmates was Secretary of State Henry Kissinger) and spent his foreign service career in Pakistan, India, Iran, the Philippines, Australia, Laos, Cambodia, Vietnam, Thailand, and Washington, D.C. His special teaching interests are Southeast Asia, the Middle and Far East, American Foreign Policy, International Law, and Race Relations. He is acting Chairman of the Department and has spent the last two summers as a visiting scholar at Harvard University, and one month working in the Department of State in Washington, D.C.

Dr. Robert Elder joined the department in 1969, after spending eighteen months in India in order to collect information on population control for his Ph.D. dissertation. Professor Elder received his Ph.D. from Duke University in 1971. His primary teaching interests are political theory, public administration, and the politics and culture of India, Pakistan, Bangladesh,

and the developing areas. Dr. Elder recently authored a book, *Development Administration in a Northern Indian State: The Family Planning Program in Uttar Pradesh*, and an article to appear this July in *Population Studies*, published by the University of London.

Dr. Jack Holmes also joined the faculty in 1969, after spending two years as a policy researcher in the Pentagon. Dr. Holmes received his Ph.D. from Denver University in 1972. He is on leave of absence in 1973-74, serving as the administrative assistant to U.S. Representative Donald Brozman in Denver, Colorado. Professor Holmes' major teaching interests include international politics and organization, American Foreign Policy, Latin America, National Security policy, and the environment.

Dr. James Zoetewey has been a faculty member since 1966 and chairman of the department since 1971. Receiving his Ph.D. from the University of Colorado in 1971, Professor Zoetewey's teaching interests are Congress, the Presidency, political parties and elections, political party history, and national government. Dr. Zoetewey is on sabbatical leave in the Spring Semester 1974 and is working on several articles on Colorado politics.

Dr. James DeBorst of Calvin College and Dr. Edwin VanBruggen, who taught for several years at De Pauw University, are temporarily replacing Dr. Holmes for the 1973-74 school year. A graduate of the University of Michigan, Dr. DeBorst is currently teaching a course in Constitutional Law. Dr. VanBruggen, a 1971 graduate of the University of Iowa, has taught courses in U.S. national, state, and local government and urban politics.

The second unique quality of studying Political Science at Hope is the abundance of internship courses which a student can take to supplement in practical experience the many academically oriented courses. Recently, students have worked in the City Manager and Finance Department offices of the Holland city government and in the Washington offices of Congressmen Gerald R. Ford and Guy A. VanderJagt. In addition, Hope students have attended national presidential conventions and interviewed officials in Washington, D.C. about federal vocations; they also have planned and participated in model United Nations assemblies and political campaigns. At the moment, the possibilities for even greater internship opportunities are being explored.

In the past, the Washington Semester Program has enabled several outstanding Political Science majors each year to spend a semester of study in the nation's capital at the American University, meeting Congressmen,

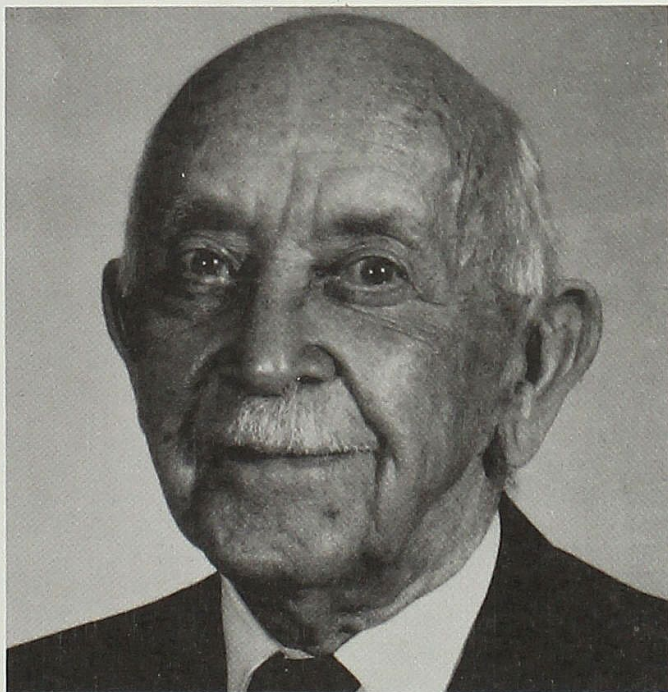
lobbyists, the press, and other federal government officials in small group sessions. This year's participants are Paula Murray, Peter Hoekstra, Jodi Jappinga, and Eugene Sutton. In the Spring of 1976, however, Hope will have its own Washington semester program. Not only will a greater number of students then be able to benefit from the Washington experience, approximately 12 to 15 per year, but also they will learn about the federal government under guidance from a Hope Political Science faculty member. Hope will be one of the few private colleges to have a program of this nature.

The third area that adds interest to Political Science study at Hope College is the large number of programs and activities that give students a chance to interact with professors, each other, and outside speakers. Often, these get-togethers have occurred in the informal, relaxed setting of Marigold Lodge. This year's Christmas meeting featured a warm fireplace, caroling, season refreshments, and a talk by Western Theological Seminary President I. John Hesselink about the radical student movement in Japan. In the past year the department also sponsored visits by U.S. Senators Hatfield and Dominick, Congressman Les Aspin,

former P.O.W. Larry Stark, Mexican-American Anti-Defamation Committee Spokesman Domingo Nick Reyes, and World Law Fund Spokesman Gerald Mische. Also on campus were representatives from, or spokesmen for Rhodesia, the Central Intelligence Agency, the State Department, South Asia, the People's Republic of China, Indiana University Law School, and the Ottawa County legal aid office. Future tentative speakers include Japanese Consul General Tateo Suzuki, U.S. Representative Guy VanderJagt, and Michigan Governor W. G. Milliken.

At a time when many view politics as something they should go out of their way to avoid, the Hope College Department of Political Science, students and faculty, voice dissent. Dissent to the hysteria that government cannot be trusted to do much of anything anymore. Dissent to the extremism that problems in our system of government cannot be corrected without revolution. And with this dissent there is belief — profound belief that a most effective way to use one's talents to make peace, feed the hungry, clothe the naked, and lead the blind is to provide dedicated political participation and leadership in America and the world.

Missionary Doctor



Dr. E. J. Strick, a 1903 Hope graduate, celebrated his 93rd birthday on January 6, 1974.

Dr. Strick lives in San Francisco in a 15th floor apartment overlooking San Francisco Bay, the Golden Gate Bridge to the left, Alcatraz to the right. This scene is visible through full length glass doors as

wide as the apartment. The alumni secretary felt as though she were on a movie set during the interview. Dr. Strick does his housekeeping, prepares his meals. His apartment is enhanced by beautiful things collected during his 26 years as a medical missionary in China: oriental rugs, a pearl ornamented ebony table, large brass tray, objects in carved wood, to name but a few.

When Dr. Strick went to Hope Hospital, Amoy, China in 1911, he followed Dr. John Otte, an 1883 Hope graduate, a first medical missionary to China. Dr. Otte built Hope Hospital and named it for his Alma Mater in 1898. Dr. Andrew Bonthius, a 1903 Prep School graduate was at Hope Hospital with Dr. Strick, an 1899 Hope Prep graduate.

In his speciality of surgery, Dr. Strick did much to relieve hundreds of Chinese from their burdensome tumors. He has a booklet filled with grotesque "before" surgery photographs, amazing "after" ones. Besides his full-time work at Hope Hospital, he made many house calls and was the U.S. Public Health Assistant Surgeon to inspect boats in Amoy Harbor bound for Manila. His fees for house calls and boat inspection were given to Hope Hospital.

Dr. Strick left Hope Hospital and the Reformed Church missionary service after 12 years to establish a 50-bed hospital with an assistant on the island of Kulangsu. During his seven or eight years there he served the Island as the Chairman (mayor) of Municipal Council in Kulangsu for one year. Following his work there he went to Chuanchow as a medical missionary of the

English Presbyterian Church where he stayed until 1937. Chuanchow is the place visited by Marco Polo who knew it as Zaytun (our word satin).

During his service in China, Dr. Strick spoke two Chinese languages: the Amoy Dialect spoken by 11 million Chinese people and all of Formosa (now Taiwan), also in the Strait settlements in Malaysia and in Indonesia; and Mandarin, the official language and that of northern soldiers. His knowledge of Mandarin was imperative to his medical work for the army. This work was recognized by his being honored with the Order of the Tiger conferred upon him by the Chinese Army.

Before the close of his 1937 furlough, Dr. Strick was advised that the Japanese had taken over the Chuanchow area and that his return would mean his life. He remained in Palo Alto, California where he had spent his furlough, to become school physician in Palo Alto and continued this pleasant service until 1952. He said, "I enjoyed this experience most of all because school children are well people."

Dr. and Mrs. Strick enjoyed life in Palo Alto. They had an active professional and social life. They were members of the Methodist Church. They also enjoyed their home where they had a beautiful garden. Mrs. Strick was the former Edith Mae Walker, granddaughter of Elder Walker (Dutch) of the First Reformed Church in Holland, now Ninth Street Christian Reformed Church. The Stricks went to China the year they were married, 1911, also the year Dr. Strick received his medical degree from the University of Chicago. Mrs. Strick died in 1962.

As an adjunct to his work with the school children, Dr. Strick did much for the Boy Scouts; so much that he received the Silver Beaver Award in 1956, served as a member of the National Council BSOA from 1963 until 1970 and still goes to the national meetings. He was honored with membership on the Executive Committee BSOA in 1972 at the age of 92. Dr. Strick registers great pride in his work for the Scouts as well as with the school children; he is especially pleased with his block "P" received for his service as team physician for the Palo Alto high school football team.

Proof of another professional involvement in California, Dr. Strick has a Medal and four Certificates of Appreciation from President Harry Truman and three Medals from President Franklin Roosevelt for his service on the California Draft Board, World War II.

Another prized activity is his membership in the Palo Alto Kiwanis Club since 1938 and his perfect attendance for 30 years. He regularly played the piano for the luncheon meetings. Dr. Strick said, "no one else played the piano and in the kingdom of the blind, the one-eyed man is king." When Edward Strick was ten years old his father bought a Cottage Organ at Meyer's Music Store in Holland. A Miss Van Haitsma made the circuit of his community by horse and buggy to give music lessons. Edward took the lessons, but his twin sister hid in the barn because she didn't want to take lessons.

Dr. Strick was born in Forest Grove, Michigan where

his father was a farmer. The State of Michigan has recently erected a Centennial marker on the farm indicating that it has been in the same family for 100 years.

To continue with Edward's musical education, he took ten lessons on the piano in Orange City, Iowa when he went there to teach in the Academy in 1903. These lessons concluded his musical education. However his talent was passed on to his son via the violin who was concertmaster of the Stanford University Symphony while a student. The son's daughter and son are accomplished pianists. This granddaughter now has Dr. Strick's Steinway.

After teaching English and Greek for two years at Orange City Academy, Dr. Strick taught the Latin class in Sioux Center, Iowa where he was principal of the high school and superintendent of the grade schools for one year.

It was after his Iowa experience that Dr. Strick went to the University of Chicago for his M.D. While a medical student himself, he assisted in the Anatomy Department in gross anatomy histology and neurology. He prepared a set of histological specimens, which were highly praised at the Medical School and were used in classes. It was among these specimen that Hope's G. J. Van Zoeren, a chemist, discovered the nerve cell which he called "the perfect specimen."

While a student in the Prep School "A" (senior) class, Edward Strick was the Class Poet. He still writes poetry about things that "get to him." During the California "hippie epidemic" he wrote a trilogy in poetry about it; two were with ridicule and contempt, the third was with pity: "God's all encircling arms of love / are round the hippies too / What does God see in them? / The same he sees in me and you / Vile sinners all, with naught to boast / Who strays the farthest needs Him most."

Familywise Dr. Strick has three sisters, one of whom is the mother of Henrietta Keizer '25, a brother died years ago. He has two daughters and a son: Mrs. Francis N. Marshall, San Francisco; Jacqueline Cibilich, San Jose, California; Harry Walker Strick, Westport, Connecticut; twelve grandchildren, and four great grandchildren.

At the close of the interview which sparkled with Dr. Strick's wit, and his sharp intelligence, he prepared and served a cup of tea, China tea, the capstone of a delightful afternoon overlooking San Francisco Bay. As the secretary took leave, Dr. Strick quoted verses of a hymn. This came through as his continuing and growing philosophy through a long useful life, always in its focus: "I am trusting Thee, Lord Jesus / Trusting only Thee / Trusting Thee for full salvation / Great and free / I am trusting Thee for pardon / At Thy feet I bow / For Thy great and tender mercy / Trusting now / I am Trusting Thee to guide me / Thou alone shalt lead / Every day and hour supplying / all my need / I am trusting Thee for power / Thine can never fail / Words which Thou Thyself shalt give me / Must prevail.

Health Students Accepted



The excellent rate of acceptance of Hope's health profession students into medical and dental schools, compared with the national average, prompted this resume by Dr. Norman Rieck. Dr. Rieck has been chairman of the Health Professions Committee for the past ten years; an associate professor of biology since 1962. When he returned to Hope, he had teaching experience at the Temple University and University of Michigan medical schools. His M.S. and Ph.D. degrees were received at the University of Michigan. A veteran of the USAF in World War II, Dr. Rieck recently became a member of the Macatawa Flyers, Inc., a new non profit corporation which purchased a Cessna Skyhawk. These flyers reason that they can fly more often in a newer plane for less expense.

Late each summer a considerable number of the young men and women who arrive on the Hope College campus ready to embark upon their academic careers with us, have a health professions goal of one sort or another in mind. Many of this group proudly announced that they are "premeds" or "predents".

Throughout the nation this group of young people is steadily increasing in numbers. Hope College students are no exception to this national trend.

During the time that it takes for the exuberant freshmen to mellow into stable, confident, academically sound seniors some have come to the decision that medicine or dentistry is not the road to follow. This of course is both normal and healthy. Personally, I would much rather have a happy, well-adjusted physician or dentist performing his or her particular skill on my body than a miserable, frustrated individual who pursued an unwanted career because this was expected of him.

In the past decade those Hope students who decided that their lives could be most meaningful if they pursued careers in medicine or dentistry have found a considerable measure of success in achieving these objectives.

The number of medical schools in the United States has increased slowly but steadily to the present number 115 and the number of places for first year students has increased to just less than 14,000. However, the number of applicants in the last few years has risen disproportionately. The result of course is that the percentage of applicants accepted has been declining steadily. Last year this figure was just over 38%.

In the face of such discouraging figures, about 2/3 of Hope College premedical students have gained admission each year. When averaged over the past decade we find that roughly 70% of the applicants from Hope College have been accepted.

While numbers of students are smaller, the same general ratio of applicants to accepted students hold for those interested in dentistry.

We are proud of this record of accomplishment by our students because we feel strongly that it reflects well upon the training both within the classroom and laboratory and beyond the walls of the academic buildings which they have received from the hands and minds, and most importantly, the hearts of many faculty members whose lives have touched theirs in a variety of meaningful ways.

We are grateful to loyal alumni who have continued to send us fine young men and women whom we can learn to know, and teach, and love, and then send on.

Class Notes

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GEORGE LAUG '21 is serving as pastor of Wiley Heights Covenant Church in Yakima, Wa. until June 1974.

The Class of 1924 will celebrate the Golden anniversary reunion on Alumni Day, May 11, at Marigold Lodge in Waukazoo, Holland. *ISLA PRIUM VAN EENENAAM*, '24 of Holland and *SIMON HEEMSTRA*, '24 Indianapolis are making arrangements. *MARTIN E. CUPERY* '24 has served as research associate in the Chemistry Department of Stetson U., Deland, Fla. for the past nine years.

HENRIETTA KEIZER '25 is a member of the Stanford, Ca. Medical Center Auxiliary, working in the intensive care unit. In January she became a deacon in the Menlo Park Presbyterian Church, which has a membership of 2500.

The late *MABEL NIENHUIS* '25 is being memorialized at Hope through The Mabel Nienhuis Award in Applied Music. The annual award will be given to three music majors, who at the close of their freshman year receive the highest rating in their jury examinations. One award will be given in keyboard, one in voice, and one in instrumental music to be used for the applied music fees during the sophomore year. The awards are being established through a significant gift at the request of the donors. Miss Nienhuis, a teacher for 45 years, died on November 13, 1972. An accomplished pianist and organist, she played at many church functions in the area of Naperville, Ill. where she lived. She accompanied the Women's Glee Club while a student at Hope. *REV. ANTON SCHERMER* '25 has retired and is living in Morrison, Ill. He is keeping busy teaching an adult Sunday School class and occasionally fills a vacant church pulpit. Once a month Mr. Schermer presents a religious service for an area rest home.

THEODORE ESSEBAGGERS '26, retired missionary of the United Church Board for World Ministries, is now serving interim pastorates in Connecticut. He is also enjoying boating on Long Island Sound. *SILAS WIERSMA, M.D.* '27 has retired from vocational rehabilitation in St. Albans, W.V. He is currently a part-time consultant in rehabilitation medicine to the West Virginia Department of Mental Health. The Class of 1929 will observe the 45th anniversary with a reunion on Alumni Day, May 11. The Committee: *HERMAN LAUG* '29 chairman, *CLARENCE KLAASEN* '29 and *DIRK MOUW* '29 have announced the reunion site to be Marigold Estate, Waukazoo, Holland.

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JEAN WALVOORD '30 a missionary nurse of the Reformed Church in America

Class notes compiled by Donna Howitt '72, alumni assistant

for 42 years, currently serving at Mackay Memorial Hospital, Taipei, Taiwan, was honored in a special presentation in January by the Chinese Government. A Good People - Good Deed plaque was presented to her by a representative of the government. The event was widely covered in the Chinese press. *RUTH VAN ALSBURG COTTS* '31 is the director of Christian Education at the Coral Ridge Presbyterian Church in Ft. Lauderdale, Fla. *EVELYN HEFFRON* '31 has retired after 40 years as an elementary teacher. She taught for a year and a half in Kalamazoo and the remainder of the time in Holland, all but 2 years as a kindergarten teacher.

ESTHER NELSEN PHIPPS '33 plans to retire in June after 40 years of teaching, 26 in church schools and 14 in public schools. Mrs. Phipps lives in Edwardsburg, Mi. *ANNETTE WITANEK WHITE* '33 retired from teaching in South Hadley, Ma., High School in 1971. Since that time she has been traveling throughout Europe, Asia and South America. The Class of 1934 will celebrate the 40th anniversary in reunion on Alumni Day May 11, at Marigold Lodge, Waukazoo. The arrangements committee comprises *MILDRED* and *Earl VANDENBOSCH* '34, *ANN* and *BOB NOTIER* '34, *BILL* and *Ann HEYNS* '34.

RUSSELL J. PAALMAN, M.D. '34 moved up to President, The Central Association of Obstetricians and Gynecologists at a meeting of the association in October, Scottsdale, Az. Dr. Paalman will preside and give the Presidential Address at the Hotel Royal Sonesta, New Orleans, in October 1974. *PAUL VAN PERNIS, M.D.* '35 is assistant director for the Department of Graduate Medical Education, American Medical Association. *GEROGE HEERINGA* '36 president of Hart & Cooley Manufacturing Co., Holland, has been elected chairman of Peoples State Bank, now a branch of Old Kent Bank and Trust Co., Grand Rapids.

BILL '36 and *BEE FAIRBANKS* '39 *WELMERS* were honored by their California Hope friends just before they left for a sabbatical in Africa. Planned as a surprise, the friends had a dinner at a Los Angeles restaurant in a private room where places were set for 32. Besides a going away party, it was in recognition and appreciation of all the Tender Loving Care Bill and Bee had given the Southern California Alumni Club in their office of Secretary for the past ten years. Harry Hakken, president of the Alumni Association, emceed the program which comprised tributes to the pair for their ardent work with the 300 plus Hope men and women in the area. Gifts presented were "Hope/Anchor" bookends, a plaque with bronze Hope Seal, a framed tribute in appreciation from the Alumni Association; an orange and blue banner with anchor, beehive, tulip and rose trims made by Barbara Mulder; a Hope pendant, and a piece of luggage. Spoken words of recognition and appreciation were given by Presi-

dent Van Wylen, Chairman of Build Hope James Ver Meulen, Don Mulder, and Mary Ruth Hakken. Present were : Everett and Ina Welmers, Bruce and Marianne Welmers, Ken and Lois De Groot, Harry and Mary Ruth Hakken, Don and Barbara Mulder, Dick and Clara Wierenga, John and Carlotta Zack, Roy and Ann Ward, Dick and Midge Vander Laan, Mary June, Ray and Mabel Biel, Collins and Shirley Weeber, Bob and Mary Wagner, Harold and Lois Leestma. Representing the College were President Van Wylen, James Ver Meulen and Marian Stryker.

WENDELL MILES '38 circuit judge serving the 20th judicial circuit (Ottawa and Allegan counties), was nominated by Senator Robert P. Griffin of Michigan in December for a federal judgeship in the Western District of Michigan. Senator Griffin's recommendation of Judge Miles for the post is tantamount to an appointment, according to the Press Washington Bureau. Before President Nixon sends the nomination to Congress, however, Judge Miles will be screened by the Justice Department and the American Bar Association. Federal judges receive lifetime appointments.

CORNIE and *RUBY STEKETEE* '39, *MARJORIE* and *BILL ROTTSCHAFFER* '39 are planning the 35th anniversary reunion of the class on Alumni Day, May 11, at Sandy Point, Port Sheldon. *HENRY BOVENDAM* '39 has retired from the active pastorate and is living in Orange City, Ia. *EITEL EBERHARDT* '39 is president and chairman of the board for the Inner City Bank in St. Joseph. He is also 1st vice-president of the Michigan Bankers Association. During 1973 *CLIFFORD R. KEIZER* '39 served as chairman of the Central New Mexico Section of the American Chemical Society. This year he will serve as president of the New Mexico Tech Sigma Xi Club.

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REV. GERARD KOSTER '40 has served a relocated congregation at the Dutch Reformed Church in Newburgh, N.Y. for nearly nine years. During his time as pastor the church experienced growth and also saw the construction of a new building. Rev. Koster will be serving the Rockaway Reformed Church, Whitehouse Stations, N.J., effective March 1974. *VERNON MEERDINK* '42 retired in August after over 23 years as an Air Force chaplain. He has taken a new position as minister of Woodbury Reformed Church in Edmonds, Wa.

EVERETT KLEINJANS '43 chancellor, The East-West Center, Honolulu, gave a lecture at the second annual Shipboard Conference on International Education in January. Educational Communications Among Pacific Basin Countries was the theme of the conference aboard the S.S. Universe Campus. Dr. Kleinjan's lecture was titled "The Ethics of Culture Learning." *VERN*

and *LOIS BOERSMA* '44, *MAXINE* and *RICHARD DIEVENDORF* '44, and *FRITZI* and *LINCOLN SENNETT* '44 are making arrangements for the 30-year anniversary reunion of the Class at Marigold Estate, Holland, on Alumni Day, May 11.

EUGENE ROTH '46 is guidance coordinator of the Grand Haven Public School System. *JAMES F. WHITE* '46 a sales associate for Westdale Company in Holland, was awarded the Real Estate Alumnus of Michigan Certificate in December. The award is the culmination of graduate courses offered by the U. of Michigan equaling 88 hours of graduate study in six required courses on law, finance, business and appraisal, and two electives. *MARTHA VAN SAUN LAM* '47 is serving on the board of education of the Mattawan Consolidated School District. *DR. ROBERT H. SCHULLER* '47 has been awarded the George Washington Honor Medal of Freedoms Foundation at Valley Forge. Dr. Schuller was presented the award for the best sermon of 1973, his original composition, "I am the American Flag". The sermon was broadcast on Dr. Schuller's television program "Hour of Power" on July 1, 1973 and will be re-broadcast on May 26, 1974.

The Rev. *DONALD R. BUTEYN* '48 was honored on January 20, 1974 by the trustees, administration and faculty of Whitworth College at the conferring of the honorary degree Doctor of Divinity upon him at the Manito Presbyterian Church, Spokane, Wa. *DON* and *ELAINE WALCHENBACH* '49, *WALTER* and *BETTY BOERMAN* '49, and *MAX* and *CONNIE BOERSMA* '49 are making arrangements for the 25th anniversary reunion of the Class on Alumni Day, Saturday, May 11, at Marigold Estate, Waukazoo, Holland.

THERESA STAAL '49 is a member of the board of directors and corporate secretary of Newman Visual Education, Inc. of Grand Rapids. She is also vice-president of Rainbow Associates of Sarasota, Fla. *RUTH JORGENSEN WIERENGA* '49 has been elected president of the Lake Michigan Presbyterian covering the Western and Central Michigan areas from the Indiana border to Cadillac. Thomas Koop, 18, son of *HOWARD* '49 and *VIRGINIA BILKERT* '47 KOOP was killed instantly in an automobile accident on December 15, 1973 in Boulder, Colo. where he was a freshman at the University of Colorado. The Koop family lives on Route 1, Dane, Wisconsin.

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ROBERT ALLEN DE YOUNG '50 is assistant superintendent of the Kalamazoo Public Schools.

JOHN '50 and *MARIAN DAME* '47 *HOEKSTRA*, with sons John 15 and David 7, took a 31 day trip to Alaska, Japan, Taiwan, Hong Kong, Thailand, the Philippines, and Hawaii which had been in the planning stages for 10 years. Jack wrote the Alumni Office: The four of us left home in Kalamazoo on July 17. Besides the usual pursuits of tourists, we had three main goals: (1) To visit 17 Reformed Church missionaries - Russ '49 and Ellie '51

Norden at Ferris College, Yokohama, Japan; Glann '48 and Phyl '47 Bruggers, director of Temple Time in Japan; Gordon '41 and Bertha '41 Van Wyk, Meiji Gakuin University, Tokyo. Gordon was my Bible teacher at Hope for 6 weeks in 1946 until he left for Japan. A. C. Pieters took over for him; Belle Bogard, Kobe Girls College, Japan; Sam '50 and Lucille '49 Noordhoff, Mackay Hospital, Taipei, Taiwan; Jack and Ginny Feenstra, Taitung, Taiwan, representing our church, Second Reformed, Kalamazoo, at a TEAM hospital. Joe '35 and Marion '35 Esther, working at "the largest Chinese church in the world," Manila, Philippines; Earl '49 and Hazel '49 Kragt, working with the Esthers and others in Manila; Mr. and Mrs. Mariano Tan, heading up Temple Time for the entire Far East (excluding Japan), in Manila. As you can see, 12 of the 17 are Hope grads. We were thrilled with the work they are doing and they gave us an education not found in books.

(2) To visit YMCAs in the Far East as a representative, Board member, and chairman of the YMCA World Service Committee of the Kalamazoo YMCA. We visited and stayed at 9 YMCAs. American Y's have helped start Y's in 86 countries through YMCA World Service.

(3) As Vice-President of the Kalamazoo Board of Education - to visit the schools of our "Sister City" in Numazu, Japan. We were given the "Red Carpet" treatment to the extent it was almost embarrassing. Later, in October, 8 Numazu-area teachers visited Kalamazoo on a trip around the world and I had a stimulating time serving as their host. Needless to say, we had an educational and unforgettable summer!

VERNON SCHIPPER '51 joined the development office staff at Hope in August as director of the Build Hope Fund. Mr. Schipper was formerly executive editor of the Sunday School Guide and served prior to 1970 as an educational representative for Harper & Row, Publishers.

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OWEN CHRISTENSEN, M.D. '52 has been appointed chief of medicine at Henry Heywood Memorial Hospital in Gardner, Ma. *JOHN DU MEZ* '52 was appointed deputy fire chief of the Holland Fire Department in October.

CAROL CRIST FERN '52 had a delightful experience in early February. Carol was scheduled to play three Gottschalk piano numbers at a meeting of the St. Cecilia Society in Flint. It was a joint meeting with the Women's Association, Institute of Music, dedicated to the Parade of American Music sponsored by the National Federation of Music Clubs. The special feature was the appearance of James Dick, an internationally known pianist, who lectured for ten minutes and then played two pieces. Mr. Dick's appearance was sponsored by the Flint Institute of Music, the Junior League and the Michigan Council for the Arts. He performed with the Flint Symphony the following evening. Carol wrote "Then our

part of the program began (after Mr. Dick's numbers). The chairman read our biographies (Hope College, Mr. Milton Johnston and Dr. Anthony Kooiker are always mentioned in my biography). I didn't know this but Mr. Dick had mentioned to the President that he was going to sit down and listen to the Gottschalk numbers and then leave. I thought I did very well considering the enormous pressure I was under after that wonderful beginning by Mr. Dick! I was really pleased with the whole thing. I don't think I have ever performed the Savane as well as I did. After it was over and I went off stage who should come bounding up the steps but Mr. Dick who congratulated me, shook both my hands and said how lovely my program was. Then he said it was a shame more people didn't perform Gottschalk! He took the time to say that to me, then he went off to rehearsal. It was certainly an experience." *PHYLLIS LUIDENS REED* '53 has presented the College a copy of her choral selection "I Have a Dream" which came out last fall, published by Galaxy Music Corporation, New York and Galliard Limited, London. It contains excerpts from Martin Luther King's speech and from his "I've Been to the Mountaintop." It is also coming out as a solo which is the way Phyllis first wrote it to sing at Newtown (Conn.) Congregational Church in July 1968. It was sung at a choral concert under the direction of Dr. Roberta Bitgood on February 14 in Battle Creek, Mich. Phyllis, her husband Art, and Daughter Sheryl, live at 5 Devon Place, Northport, N.Y. Art teaches instrumental music in the Commack schools, Sheryl "loves piano and cello" and Phyllis subs in general music. She wrote "memories of playing the piano in Beach Cottage and of those who lived through it, the musical experiences of Hope College and Third Reformed Church where I worked, are still in my inner ear."

CARL SCHROEDER '53 is minister of parish life and evangelism for Central Reformed Church in Grand Rapids.

JACK and *RUTH HASCUP* '54 are making arrangements for the 20th year reunion of the Class at Marigold Estate, Waukazoo, on Alumni Day, May 11. *REV. CHARLES JOHNSON* '54 is pastor of Harrington Park Community Church (RCA) in Harrington Park, N.J. *CARL* '54 and *HELEN STUDDIFORD* '53 *KLEIS* accompanied a group of churchmen, ministers, rabbis and their wives on a tour of Israel just prior to the outbreak of the "Yom Kippur" War. They were the guests of the Greater Philadelphia Board of Rabbis and the Government of Israel. In addition to visiting biblical, archaeological and historical sites, they met with governmental, religious, educational, judicial and cultural leaders of the land. This included meetings with some of the Arab leaders in the "administered" areas occupied by Israel since the 1967 "Six Day" War. The Kleises live in Churchville, Buck County, Pa., where Mr. Kleis serves as the senior minister of the North and Southampton Reformed Church.

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ROBERT N. DeYOUNG '56 has been promoted to vice president for student affairs at Hope. He has also been appointed interim director of the development office, where he will supervise activities of the college's fund raising divisions and the college relations offices. Mr. DeYoung has been a member of the Hope staff since 1965 and has served as dean of students since 1967. **JERALD REDEKER '56** has been elected president, chief executive officer and director of People's State Bank of Holland. The announcement was made by the Board of Directors of the bank early in February and the change in administration became effective on March 4.

SEWELL HAYES '57 his wife, and four step-children are living in Ashland, Me. where Rev. Hayes is pastor of Union Congregational Church. He graduated from Bangor Theological Seminary in June 1973. **DAVID KINKEMA '57** is executive director of the North Canton, Ohio YMCA.

JANET BAIRD WEISIGER '58 has been invited to present two programs of witness in song and work ("Joy and Praise") with Jane Douglass White at the RCA Women's Triennial in April '74 at Long Beach, Ca. **CARL** and **SANDY VERBEEK '59**, **VERNON** and **LOIS KORTERING '59** are making arrangements for the 15th anniversary reunion of the Class on Alumni Day, Saturday, May 11, at Marigold Estate, Waukazoo, Holland.

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RONALD BOEVE was recently elected president of the Holland-Zeeland Family YMCA. Mr. Boeve is on the staff of Woodland Realty. **JOHN G. BRYSON** is director of music and organist at Christ Community Church in Spring Lake. The newly organized Sanctuary Choir at the church already has 55 members. Mr. Bryson is part of a team ministry at the church. **VERN ESSENBERG** is associate director at Camp Manitouqua in Frankfort, Ill.

MARJORIE WOOD PARLIMENT, New City, N.Y. has reported to the Alumni office that 1973 was pretty busy for her. "In between taking care of the house and the family, husband Tom, Cindy 3 and Tammy 2, I've managed to bowl, join an organization known as Young Women Against Cancer (a branch of the American Cancer Society), am the secretary to our Welcome Wagon Newcomers Club, through that I do volunteer work at the N.Y. State Rehabilitation Hospital (I do filing-recording results of tests in the lab). Seems my chemistry follows me everywhere - and my latest project is contemplating running for Republican Committee Woman for our District." **ROBERT W. SAUNDERS** is Michigan manager for National Merchandising Company of Green Bay, Wi. Mr. Saunders, wife and twin boys are living in Holland. **REV. DAVID E. WHITE** is presently serving on the staff of the Chief of Chaplains, U.S. Navy. He is responsible for the procurement of all chaplains for the Navy. Mr. White and his wife

MARY FRYLING are living in Arlington, Va.

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PRISCILLA ESTELL '61 graduated from Muskegon Business College on Dec. 5, 1973. She received an associate degree in Secretarial Science majoring in the medical secretarial program. Miss Estell is now employed as a medical secretary for a pediatrician, Dr. Salahiddin Koker, in Jenison. **ROBERT LOOYENGA**, Ph.D. '61 is completing his second year in the Chemistry Department of the South Dakota School of Mines and Technology, Rapid City.

JOHN BRUNSON '62 is assistant professor of zoology at SUNY at Oswego. Mr. Brunson will be teaching in the Jamaica summer term in a Tropical Studies Program. **REV. RONALD SIKKEMA '62** has accepted his call from Our Saviour's Reformed Church of Lakewood, Co. Mr. Sikkema will serve the church as Minister of Lay Ministries. **JOHN TEUSINK '62** was promoted to assistant professor of biology at Aquinas College in Grand Rapids in September 1973.

BRUCE VAN LEUWEN '62 is assistant business manager at Urethanes, Polyol: Olin Corp. in Stamford, Ct. **SALLY TELLMAN WALLACE '62** is currently teaching in the public schools of Okemos. Her husband, Edwin Wallace received his doctorate from Michigan State U. in Distributive Education and is an associate professor at Lansing Community College. The Wallaces are living in Haslett,

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RICHARD BRANDSMA of Sacramento is employed by the California Legislature. Currently he is the principal program analyst of the Joint Legislative Budget Committee comprising six state senators and six assemblymen. **DENNIS J. DE WITT** is a school social worker in the West Ottawa Intermediate School District, Holland. He will receive his master's degree in education in August from the U. of Michigan. **JUDSON EMERICK** is teaching art history at Pomona College in Claremont, Ca.

DAVID FUGAZZOTTO, MD, entered private practice of pediatrics in September, 1972. He has been certified after having passed the oral board exams of the American Academy of Pediatrics, Chicago, in October 1973. Dr. Fugazzotto and his wife, Pauline are living in Birmingham, Al., with their two children, David, 5 and Dana Helene, 2. **PAUL KLEINHEKSEL** is manager of the Holland office of Buys-Mac Gregor and Company, an investments firm. **JAN W. NIENHUIS** was named manager of First Michigan Bank and Trust Company's Jenison office in January. Mr. Nienhuis joined the First Michigan staff in 1970 following seven years teaching in the Zeeland Public Schools.

MILTON NIEUWSMA has resigned his speechwriting post at the American Hospital Association in Chicago. In February he

began a writer's workshop at U. of Michigan, Dearborn for the spring term. Mr. Nieuwsma is currently researching a biographical novel on Thomas Jefferson, he plans on completing his research in Virginia next summer. **KURT VAN GENDEREN** has been appointed director of planned giving and assistant director of development at Hope. Mr. Van Genderen was formerly employed as a securities analyst and in pension money management for the Hartford Insurance Group and Connecticut Bank and Trust Co. He received his master's degree from Dartmouth College. Mr. Van Genderen, his wife **BEVERLY JOECKEL**, and their three children are living in Holland.

A correction is in order concerning the Outstanding Young Men in America awards published in the Winter issue of the Alumni Magazine. **WESLEY NYKAMP '63** is currently serving as Kent County Prosecutor, not Ottawa County Prosecutor as listed in the magazine. This error was called to our attention by **CALVIN BOSMAN '59**, who is the Ottawa County Prosecutor. The Alumni Office staff wishes to apologize to both Mr. Nykamp and Mr. Bosman for this mix-up in identity.

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PETER PAULSEN is chairman of the committee making plans for the 10th year reunion of the Class on Alumni Day, Saturday, May 11, at Marigold Estate, Waukazoo, Holland. Others on the committee are **CARL BRANDT**, **LOUISE GARTER**, **DIANA MARSILJE**, **MARY KANSFIELD**, **JIM JURRIES**, **HELEN HOFFMYER** and **JIM KORE**. **CARL BRANDT, M.D.** has opened medical practice in Kentwood, following completion of his residency in obstetrics and gynecology at Butterworth Hospital in Grand Rapids.

BRIAN DYKSTRA presented a piano recital on Hope's campus early in February. He also presented a short piano presentation "The Art of Ragtime" to complement a display of relief prints by a fellow faculty member from the College of Wooster, Ohio where Mr. Dykstra is a music professor. Mr. Dykstra's revival of American Ragtime music has won a wide audience and his recording "American Beauty: 12 Ragtime Classics" was recently released. **RICHARD HUYLER** is traffic manager for the Mennen Company, Morristown, N.J.

GIG KORVER, Ph.D., has been promoted to group leader in polyester research and development at Goodyear Tire and Rubber Co. in Akron, Oh. **MYRA ROZEBOOM** became the first woman principal in the Jenison Public School System in the fall of 1973. **MICHAEL SCHRIER** recently completed his course work for his Ph.D. degree in education at Michigan State U. He is presently writing his dissertation and teaching in Portage. After four years of

work in the Zincanteco tribe of the Tzotzil Indians of Chiapas, Mexico, *REV. VERN STERK* is beginning to see a response to the gospel. One young man recently committed his life to Christ. He is the first Christian in a tribe of 25,000 people whose lives have been ruled by animism for centuries.

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PETER HOUTING '65 is a public affairs officer at the Naval Air Station, Glenview, Ill. *GEORGE CHARLES LANTAY* '65 has been recently certified by the State of New York as a school psychologist. He has been working with Odyssey House in New York City and the New York State Department of Mental Hygiene as a psychologist II. His name appears in the 1973 *Biographical Directory of the American Psychological Association*.

LOREN MEENGs, M.D. '65 recently completed his residency at Blodgett Hospital in Grand Rapids. He began his practice of orthopedic surgery in Holland in January. *GEORGE VAN DAHM* '65 has been named a trustee at Trinity Christian College in Palos Heights, Ill. *GEORGE VANDER VELDE* '65 is working at the new National Center for Toxicological Research, Division of Chemistry, Jefferson, Ark.

WALTER BRUINSMA '66 has been appointed assistant secretary of First Federal Savings and Loan Association in Rochester, N.Y. *ALFRED J. CLYMER* '66 has moved to St. Petersburg, Fla. where he is employed by General Telephone of Florida in Tampa. *WILLIAM L. COOK* '66 has been named a credit officer of the Lincoln First Bank of Rochester, N.Y.

ANITA JOECKEL '66 is spending the current year teaching English to Arabian children at the American Mission School in Bahrain, Arabian Gulf. *RICHARD KOSTER* '66 has taken a new position as pastor of United Church of Wayland. He assumed his new duties in November 1973. *BRUCE OOSTERHOUSE* '66 was one of eight men from the greater Grand Rapids area who has been named "Outstanding Young Men of the Year" for 1973. Mr. Oosterhouse is a school counselor in Kenowa Hills High School.

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NANCY ERICKSON graduated in June, 1973 from Brooklyn Law School. She is now working for Botein, Hays, Sklar and Herzberg in New York City. *JACK W. HILL JR.* is working toward his master's degree in oriental art history at the U. of Chicago. Mr. Hill expects to complete his degree requirements in June. *JOHN KOEPPE* is a research associate at Roche Institute of Molecular Biology in Nutley, N.J. *RANDALL M. MILLER, Ph.D.* is assistant professor of history at St. Joseph's College, Philadelphia. His wife, *LINDA PATTERSON* '68 is pursuing her doctorate in English at the U. of Delaware.

JOHN MARK MULDER has accepted a position at Princeton Seminary teaching American religious history for next year; a

one-year appointment at the instructor level. *NANCY RAJSKY* was awarded a certificate as a family nurse practitioner from Cornell U. Hospital School of Nursing, Division of Continuing Education at graduation ceremonies on Jan. 8, 1974. Ms. Rajsky was among twelve graduates who completed the one year course of study. She is continuing her work as a nurse practitioner in New York City. *BRUCE RICHARDT* attended Michigan State U. Graduate School where he completed his master's degree in microbiology in 1969. In September 1969 he entered medical school at the U. of Maryland and graduated in June 1973. He is now in his first year of residency at St. Agnes Hospital, Baltimore, Md. where he is specializing in pathology.

THOMAS RENNER has been promoted to director of College Relations at Hope. Mr. Renner will coordinate the constituency relation programs of the College. He will continue to supervise the office of information services and will also assume added responsibilities in alumni relations. *RICHARD RIETVELD* is the director of the Birmingham, Al. Children's Theatre and chairman of the drama wing of the Alabama School of Fine Arts. His wife, *LESLIE BRUEGGEMEYER* is working for the Jefferson County Health Department. *RUTH ZIEMANN SWEETSER* is in her sixth year of teaching German at Barrington, Ill. Consolidated High School. Last March she and two other German teachers accompanied a group of 42 high school students to Germany and a similar trip is planned this year. She is also co-sponsor of the senior class for the fourth year. *DOUGLAS SWETS* received his M.S. degree in finance from Long Beach State U., Ca. He is presently working as a senior staff accountant for Western Airlines. Mr. Swets reports that he spends his leisure time traveling with his wife Carol.

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KATHY BOEZEMAN '68 is working in the Criminal Investigation Division of Jefferson County Police Department in Louisville, Ky. as a policewoman. *KENNETH BRUGGERS* '68 is an artist-in-residence with North Carolina Wesleyan College and Nash Technical Institute in Rocky Mount, N.C. and the North Carolina State Arts Council in Raleigh, as a performing harpsichordist. His wife, *FRANCES WEBINGA* is pursuing her doctorate at the U. of North Carolina at Greensboro in music and dance. Mrs. Bruggers has been awarded the university's first Doctoral Excellence Award fellowship. *GEORGE V. COOK* '68 has formed a professional corporation known as "Hill & Cook P.C." in Syracuse, N.Y. The corporation renders legal services. *JOHN JAECKER* '68 is employed as a research chemist at Atlantic Richfield's Technical Center in Harvey, Ill.

CARL TEN PAS '68 is a graduate student in chemistry at Florida State U. in Tallahassee. *G. JOHN TYSSE*, '68 J.D., a member of the Ohio Bar Association, has been named the new director of employee

health and safety programs, National Association of Manufacturers in Ohio. In this assignment, Mr. Tysse will work with Employee Health and Safety Committee and will direct NAM activities concerned with Occupational Safety and Health Association. He was staff attorney to Commissioner Timothy F. Cleary, Occupational Safety and Health Review Commission, prior to joining the NAM. He also worked as legal intern in the summer of 1972 to Commissioner Alan F. Burch, OSH Review Commission. While a law student at Ohio State University, Mr. Tysse was a consultant to the Division of Safety and Hygiene, Industrial Commission of Ohio. *JOHN A. VISSER* '68 is now assistant vice president of First Federal Savings and Loan Association of Wisconsin in Milwaukee.

JIM and *MARY PIERS* '69 and *JIM* and *DONNA MARCUS* '69 are making arrangements for the first 5-year reunion of the Class on Saturday, May 11, Alumni Day at Marigold Estate, Waukazoo, Holland. *ANN GUNKLER* '69 has been employed for the last two years as a quality control chemist for Anderson Oil & Chemical Company in Portland, Ct. *HARVEY HENEVELD* '69 is pastor of Mason County Reformed Church in Scottville. *WILLIE JACKSON* '69 is working as a counselor in residence at Rutgers U. He is also a part-time field underwriter with Mutual of New York.

NORMAN MOL '69 has taken a position as assistant director of Sage Advocate, a church-supported group that works with and for elderly persons in New Haven, Ct. His wife, *LAURIE HAMMON* '69 is a Neighborhood Outreach worker in a federally-funded nutritional program for elderly persons in South Central Connecticut. *DAVID PATERIK* '69 is a systems analyst with CNA Insurance in Chicago. *STEVEN VANDER WEELE* '69 is a systems analyst for Litton Automated Business Systems in their Detroit office.

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ROBERT FAULMAN '70 has received a position as director of youth and Christian education for the First Congregational Church, Muskegon. *DAVID FOLKERT* '70 was admitted to the State Bar of Michigan on Dec. 13, 1973. He is currently practicing in Holland; he resides with his wife, Carol in Spring Lake. *TIMOTHY LIGGETT* '70 received his J.D. degree from Wayne State U. Law School in May, 1973. He is working as a labor relations attorney for General Motors Corporation, Chevrolet Division, Truck Assembly Plant in Flint. His wife, *BARBARA DE HAAN* '72 is employed as the Director for Management Analysis for Genesee County, Controller's Office, Flint.

JOHN LYONS '70 is attending graduate school at Wayne State U. He is also working at the Detroit Art Institute and singing in a choral group and church choir. Mr. Lyons sang with the Michigan Opera Society in "Rigolletto" and is rehearsing now for the "Merry Widow". *ERNEST OTTO* '70 is working as a geologist for Sun Oil Company. He and his wife are residing in Lafayette,

La. *CHARLES* and *JEAN TAYLOR VAN ENGEN* '70 are working in Chiapas, Mexico under the R.C.A. in an extension seminary-bible school program. They are training men as layworkers and pastors for the Spanish congregations in Chiapas. *NATE FULLER* '71 has been working at the Fairleigh-

Dickinson oceanography facility in the Virgin Islands for the past two years. He expects to return to this country in September to attend graduate school. *ROSS MACK* has been attending a seminary of the Episcopal Church in Nashotah, Wi. He will graduate in May with a master of divinity

degree. After his graduation he will be the Curate at Trinity Church in Wauwatosa, Wi. *ARLINE SCHEFFEL* '71 is teaching vocal music at Triton Regional Senior High School in Rummel, N.J. *CALVIN VAN HOLLAND* '71 is working for a titanium metallurgical plant in Reno, Nv.

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A recent survey of the Class of 1972 was conducted by the Alumni Office staff. The purpose of the survey was to compile class statistics which were impossible to do at the time of the class graduation due to the uncertain job market. The chart below is based on available information from this survey and our files. Approximately 62% or 268 graduates are included in this report.

Graduate Student	81 (19%)	Systems Processing	5
Teaching	69 (16%)	Religious Work	5
Business	44	Journalism	3
Office Work	15	Public Relations	3
Social Work	8	Miscellaneous	20
Service	7	Deceased	2
Housewife	6	Plans not reported	164

GALE ALDRICH is currently teaching 5th grade in Harper Creek School, Battle Creek. *JEFFREY ALDRICH* is doing free lance carpentry work in Fennville. *JANET ATWOOD BAXTER* is working as platform secretary for the United California Bank, Santa Ana. *BARBARA KOOY BAUER* is employed as a secretary for Ottawa Door Lights, Zeeland. *NEIL BECKER* is living in Grand Rapids where he is employed as a clerk.

GEORGE BENNETT is attending graduate school in psychology at Central Michigan U., Mt. Pleasant. *STEVE BERRY* is attending the U. of Detroit School of Law. His wife, *NANCY BURKE* is working in the area as an assistant personnel manager. *DANIEL BIRD* is living in Sarasota, Fla. where he is employed as a psychotherapist-educator. *RAYMOND BOHRER* is a second year graduate student at the Wayne State School of Medicine.

MICHAEL BOONSTRA is currently teaching drama in Sarajevo, Yugoslavia. *ROBERT BOUWMA* is teaching in McBain, Mi. *JOANNE HERNBERG BRESLER* is a special education teacher in Highland, N.Y. *SANDRA GOOSEN BRUISCHAT* is teaching second grade at Forest Hills Elementary School, Grand Rapids. *BETH BURG-GRAAF* is employed as a work measurement systems analyst for Foremost Insurance Company, Grand Rapids.

JANE CLARK is a campus life coordinator for the Youth for Christ U.S.A. staff. She is currently living in Winchendon, Ma. *ROBERT COPPER* is a second year student at Dickinson School of Law in Carlisle, Pa. His wife, *GRETCHEN TELLMAN* is employed as a bank teller. *DAVID D'AMOUR* is employed as a foundry worker in Sparta, Mi. *HAROLD DANA* is a teaching assistant at Redmond High School, Redmond, Wa.

JAMES DE BOER is currently a medical student at the U. of Michigan. *BRENDA BOOTE DE BRUYN* is employed as a clinic clerk at the U. of Michigan Medical Center,

Ann Arbor. *MARY SCHMIDT DEENIK* is employed by the River Forest State Bank, River Forest, Ill. *JACK DE JONG* is living in Grand Ledge, Mi. and working as a computer programmer. *MARIANNE SCHAEFER DE VREE* is working as a new accounts clerk for the Heritage Bank, Chicago Heights.

PHYLLIS DE VRIES is teaching at the Annville Institute, Annville, Ky. *ROBERT DE VRIES* is working at Pine Rest Christian Hospital in Grand Rapids as a rehabilitation counselor and attending graduate school part-time. *MICHAEL DE WEERD* is a student at the U. of Michigan Dental School. *SHERI VANDEN HEUVEL DE YOUNG* is a second grade teacher in Zeeland. *ROBERT DOUGLASS* is enrolled in a MAT program at Northwestern U., Chicago.

JOYCE DROLEN is a teacher in the Portage Public Schools. *HOWARD DUCHARME* is currently in Chicago as a staff member with the Campus Crusade for Christ. *JON DYKSTRA* is attending graduate school at Dartmouth College where he is studying economic geology. *LINDA ELFERINK* is teaching in the Hopkins Public Schools, Hopkins, Mi.

KARL ESMARK is a U.S. Army Console Controller for the White House Communications Agency. His wife, *EILEEN WINTER* is office manager of the Alexandria, Va. YMCA. *FLOYD ESSINK* is food service supervisor and purchasing agent for Pleasant Run Children's Home, Indianapolis. *TED ETHERIDGE* is a salesman for Etheridge Printing Company, Grand Rapids. *ANN FISHER* is a social worker in Detroit. *VICTOR FOLKERT* is teaching high school mathematics in Grand Rapids.

JAMES FORTNEY is a computer operator for Acts Computing Corporation, Grand Rapids. *DEAN BARNET FOWLER* is a nurse's aid at Haven Park Nursing Center, Zeeland. *RONALD FRANKLYN* is a mid-dler student at Western Seminary, Holland. *WAYNE FRASCH* is a graduate student at the U. of Kentucky, Lexington. *THOMAS*

GARTNER is substitute teaching in Rockford, Ill.

BETTY GAYDOS is living in North Tarrytown, N.Y. and attending graduate school. *KATHY GAYLORD* is working as a secretary in Schenectady, N.Y. while she is pursuing her graduate studies in counselling and personnel services at SUNY at Albany. *JENNIFER GHISELIN* is an itinerant teacher of gifted elementary school children in New Port Richey, Fla. *DIANE FUGITT* is teaching second grade in Tonawanda, N.Y. *NATALIE FRITZ* is director of Youth and Social Development for the Rockford, Ill. YMCA.

JONATHAN GLERUM is employed by Westinghouse Defense and Electronics Systems Center as an electrical engineer. He is currently working on a Westinghouse contract with NASA to prepare their ground station for the India - NASA satellite experiment. Mr. Glerum is living in Linthicum, Md. *CARL GOMES* is currently a student at the U. of Pittsburgh Graduate School. *THOMAS GOUWENS* is working toward a M.M. degree in organ performance at the U. of Michigan. *BERNARD GRYSEN* spent the past summer as a clerk at the Center for P.O.W. Studies in San Diego, Ca. He is currently a medical student at Wayne State U.

TITUS R. HAGER is employed as a purchasing agent for Sash and Door of Grand Rapids. *RALPH HANSEN* is currently employed as a substitute teacher in Holland. *RICHARD HASSLINGER* is a management trainee with Irving Trust Company, New York City. *GENE HAULENBEEK* is continuing to pursue his career in free lance cartooning. *GARY HAYDEN* is assistant supervisor at KANDU Industries in Grand Haven. He is also taking courses at Hope to receive his teacher certification.

JOHN HEARTY is stationed in Tunisia with the Peace Corp. He is working in the Tunisia Medical Program. *JOHN HEINSIUS* is attending graduate school in geology at Western Michigan. His wife, *MARTHA JOHNSON* is teaching second grade in Kalamazoo. *TIMOTHY HILLEGONDS* is a second year law student at Valparaiso Law School. His wife, *LYNN KLAASEN* is teaching junior high mathematics. *MICHAEL HINGA* is teaching in the Mat-tawan Public Schools, Kalamazoo. *KEVIN HOLLEMAN* is a graduate student at Wayne State Medical School.

JOHN HOLLENDONNER is a correspondent for the New York Life Insurance Company, New York City. His wife, *LAURIE SCHLANGEN* is employed by the New Jersey School for the Deaf in Trenton as a social worker. *ROBERT HOLTZ* is completing his requirements for the M.B.A.

degree at U. of Michigan. *SUSAN HOP* is teaching fourth grade in Hudsonville. *RUTH HUHTANEN* is employed as a secretary in Winthrop, Ma.

DOUGLAS IVERSON is manager of Ottawa Savings and Loan's new branch in West Ottawa, Holland. Mr. Iverson was formerly assistant manager of the Jenison offices of the bank. *PATRICIA MELIERE JANDA* is attending graduate school at Northeastern U., Boston. *ANITA TEIN JANOWSKY* is employed in an office in Martin, Mi. *JERRY KEIZER* is a sales representative for Keizer Equipment in Grand Rapids.

BARBARA DeNAGEL KNEER is teaching elementary school in the Grand Haven Public School System. *MARY HERRON KNOT* is a choir director and teaching piano, organ and voice in Dickson, Tenn. *DALE KOOISTRA* is a teaching assistant at Cal. Tech, Pasadena, Ca. *JOANNE KORNOLJE* is employed by the Conill Bank in Vienna, Austria. The bank is a branch of the Continental Bank of Chicago.

DIRK KRAMER is a middle student at Western Seminary, Holland. *KEITH LAMMERS* is attending medical school at Colorado U., Denver. *CINDY POLL LARSON* is teaching in the Grandville Junior High. *DEBORAH LAUG* is a physical education teacher and coach in Palatine Bridge, N.Y. *DWIGHT LESLIE* is night supervisor at Taylor Bros. Transport, Markham, Ontario.

KENNETH LODDEN is attending graduate school in business administration at U. of Michigan. *TOM MALLORY* is living in Douglas and attending graduate school and doing factory work. *JANE VAN ZOEREN MICHMERHUIZEN* is teaching school in Zeeland. *CHARLES W. MILLER* is a second lieutenant in the U.S. Army, stationed in Lawton, Ok. *JAMES MOORE* is a student at Boston U. School of Theology. His wife, *HOLLY NELMES* is employed as a secretary at Andover Newton Theological School.

CRAIG MORGAN is a medical student at Emory U., Atlanta, Ga. *MARY MOUW* is teaching English at Grand Haven Junior High School. *KATHLEEN HOGER MULDER* is employed as a child welfare worker in Holland. *DOUGLAS NELSON* is attending Northern Illinois U. as a part-time graduate student and working part-time as an electrician. His wife, *DONNA HUIZENGA* is teaching second grade in the Morrison, Ill. area. *ELIZABETH NEWTON* is attending graduate school in urban planning and policy development at Rutgers U.

WILLIAM NICHOLSON is employed by Oldsmobile Division of General Motors. His wife, *KATHRYN ROMAN* is working as a bookkeeper in Farmington, Mi. *KAY OAE* is a program associate for the GLCA Japan Study program. She has been working at the international division of Waseda U. in Tokyo and has acted as a mother, counselor, information guide and friend for 22 junior students from GLCA colleges. *JOHN PAARLBERG* is a second year student at Yale Divinity School, New Haven, Ct. *THOMAS PAGE* is a second grade teacher at Lakewood Elementary School, Holland.

THOMAS PAPLAWSKY is working in the electronics division of General Atomic and Environmental Systems in San Diego. His wife, *FONDA VAN SLOTEN* is a nursery school teacher. *JAMES PARK III* is a student at Pittsburgh Theological Seminary. *MARTHA PATRIE* is attending graduate school at Rensselaer Polytechnic Institute in Troy, N.Y. *BARBARA PAUL* is a senior nursing student at Columbia U., New York City. *ELLEN TEN HOOR PEREC* is employed by Beloit Travel Agency in Beloit, Wi.

JUDITH DROOG PRICE is a staff member of Hackley Hospital in Muskegon. *GLENN PRIDE* is working toward a M.A. degree in sacred music at Southern Methodist U. He presented his graduate recital in organ on Jan. 31, 1974 and also performed in the Hope College Organ Series in Nov. 1973. *JOYCE PRUIKSMA* is office manager for Urban Land Institute, Washington, D.C. *LESLIE ATHERTON REED* is a pre-nursery school teacher in Scotia, N.Y.

ALLAN REIFF is working as a banking management trainee in Battle Creek. *PAUL REMTEMA* is a graduate teaching assistant at Michigan Technological U. *GORDON RENKES* is a graduate student at U. of California, Berkeley. *GAYLE PUITE RISSI* is teaching at Rosewood Elementary School, Jenison, Mi. *DAVID RITSEMA* is a department manager at Hage's Christian Supplies, Muskegon. His wife, *MARYL HAGE* is a nursery school teacher at Muskegon Christian School.

MARK ROBERTS is presently an administrative aid for the city of Grand Rapids. *ANNA ROSS* has a full fellowship in the Ph.D. program at the U. of Georgia. She is working on research dealing with biological clock mechanisms. *JOHN J. (SKIP) ROTHENBUHLER JR.*, an artist, is a part-time graduate student at the U. of Massachusetts, Amherst, he is also a full time Ambassador for Christ. During the summer he will be working in Saugatuck. *MARTI SLAGH RYPMA* is teaching elementary school in Holland.

DANIEL SAUL is now affiliated with Russell Klassen's Gallery of Homes in Holland as a sales associate. *CRAIG SCHROTENBOER* is an administrative manager for the international division of Herman Miller, Inc., Zeeland. *ROBERT SCOTT* is a first year student at Wayne State U. Law School. *SUSAN HIPWELL SEBENS* is employed by the Ottawa County Juvenile Court in Grand Haven as a case-worker. *TIMOTHY SEISE* is a staff assistant for Public Service Electric and Gas Company, Hackensack, N.J.

JULIA SEVENER is a graduate student at Northwestern U. Graduate. School of Management in Chicago. She is also working for Thomson & McKinnon, Auchincloss, Kohlmeyer, Inc., Chicago Board of Trade. *JANENE SONNEGA* is an elementary teacher in Eatonton, Ga. *TERRY STEHLE* is teaching in Holland. *NANCY STERK* is employed as an eligibility examiner for the Department of Social Services, Grand Rapids.

MARGARET KLEIS STRAW is a graduate student and part-time research assistant

in the psychology department at Penn State U. *GORO SUZUKI* is attending graduate school at Sophia U. in Tokyo. *HARRY STROVEN* is employed as a life insurance agent at Northwestern Mutual in Grand Rapids. *GERALD SWIERINGA* is a teaching assistant at Western Washington State College. *PHILIP TAPPERT* is teaching junior high French in the Lake Ann, Mi. area.

AMANDA TAUB is teaching second grade in Kenmore, N.Y. *MARY TRIPP* is teaching in Hamilton. *RONALD TUCKER* is working in the cost accounting department at Lear Siegler's Home Division, Holland. *EUGENE VANDE BUNTE* is a teacher in the Kentwood Public Schools. *LAVONNE VAN RY VANDE WEGE* is an elementary music teacher in Zeeland.

DAVID VAN DONKELAAR is attending Western Michigan U. Graduate School. *BARBARA VAN ECK* is working as a receptionist and program coordinator for the Office of International Services at Temple U., Philadelphia. *KATHY VAN KRUIJNINGEN* is teaching in Hackensack High School, N.J. *PHIL VAN LENTE* is a medical student at Michigan State U.

SUSAN WALLACE is working as an inspector for Donnelly Mirrors, Inc. in Holland. She is also substitute teaching in West Ottawa Schools. *NANCY WALLENDAL* is living in Wyckoff, N.J. and doing statistical work for Dow Chemical Company. *GLENN WEENER* is living in Holland and working as a computer operator. *RICHARD WEIGLE* is a police officer in Summit, N.J.

DEANNE WEISSFLOG is an accounts receivable clerk for Canada Dry, Corp. in Chatham, N.Y. *LAWRENCE WHITE* is a graduate student in the Southwest Asia-North Africa Program at SUNY at Binghamton, N.Y. *MARK WILDMAN* is teaching school in Holland. *HAROLD WILLS* is personnel manager for Michigan Standard Alloys, Inc., Benton Harbor.

HUDSON WILSON IV is a group representative of Washington National Insurance Co. His wife, *PATRICIA FERRELL* is a science and math teacher at Oak Knoll Middle School, Williamstown, N.J. *DARLENE HANSEN YANOFF* is teaching reading to ghetto high school students in Manhattan, N.Y. *MARVIN YOUNGER* is a fifth grade teacher at Washington Elementary School in Holland. He is also assistant coordinator for reading in the Hope College Upward Bound Program. *BEVERLY REMTEMA ZONDERVAN* is teaching second grade in Grandville.

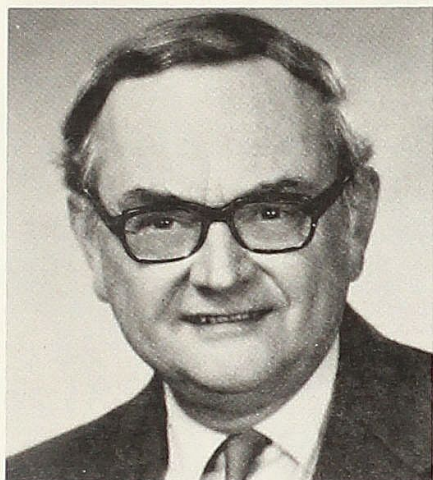
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JOHN E. CONATSER is fiscal evaluator of the Benton Harbor Model Cities program. *MARK W. DE HAAN* is stationed with the Michigan State Police in Negaunee. *KARLA HOESCH* is teaching elementary physical education in Jenison, where she also coaches the high school girl's J.V. basketball team. *RICHARD SMITH* has a new position as tennis pro for the Racquet Club at Ramblewood Apartment Community in Grand Rapids.



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RIDER RESIGNATION



Hope's dean for academic affairs for the past seven years, Dr. Morrette Rider, informed the faculty and administrative staff of his resignation in the following letter on January 14, 1974:

I have today delivered a letter to President Van Wylen asking that I be relieved of the duties of the Office of the Dean for Academic Affairs at the end of the present college year.

This has been a difficult decision made only after many months of careful thought and conversation. It is essential that the President have the opportunity to make his own selection of a Dean and that this Dean be a person whose educational philosophy and administrative style are fully supportive of his objectives.

I deeply appreciate the friendship, cooperation, and support each of you have freely granted me over the past six years, and I know that my successor and President Van Wylen will receive this same consideration.

President Van Wylen wrote the following letter to the faculty on January 16, 1974:

As you know, Dean Morrette L. Rider has submitted his resignation as Dean for Academic Affairs, effective at the conclusion of this academic year. Dean Rider has served with distinction in this capacity for the past six years. These years have been marked by some of the greatest stresses that the higher education community has ever known. The present strength of Hope College results, in a very significant measure, from the dedication, commitment, and effective work of Dean Rider during this period. I am sure that I speak for the entire faculty in expressing to Dean Rider our great appreciation for all that he has done for Hope College while serving as Dean. We have valued his personal friendship, counsel, and encouragement.

I also want to add a personal note of appreciation to Dean Rider for the counsel and friendship he has given me. This has been invaluable to me, since I came to Hope College, and I'm grateful to him.

So, it is both on a personal capacity and as the representative of the faculty, that I express to you, Dean Rider, our appreciation, affection, and best wishes.

SUMMER GRANTS

Hope College annually makes grants to faculty members for summer professional development or research projects which promise to help them in their growth as scholarly teachers. The selection of grant recipients is made by an elected faculty committee, the President and the Dean for Academic Affairs. Faculty members present a detailed proposal for their summer project. Two special grants are awarded each year. These are the DenUyl Fellowship, which is awarded annually to a teacher of established reputation and marked distinction, and has been made possible through a gift to the College by Dr. Simon DenUyl, '19. The Julia Reimold Faculty Award is given to a member of the faculty whose proposal for summer research in writing best offers effective expression of those spiritual and cultural values which motivated the founder of Hope College, Dr. Albertus VanRaalte.

The Committee named Dr. Eldon Greij from the Department of Biology as the DenUyl Fellow of 1974. Dr. Greij will pursue his research with several students in the breeding biology of marsh birds in the Lake Macatawa watershed. Last summer, Dr. Greij and his students banded a large number of birds in the area and collected preliminary data which was presented at the annual meeting of the American Ornithologists Union last October.

The Reimold Grant recipient is Dr. Sang Lee from the Department of Religion, who will pursue his studies of the unpublished manuscripts of Jonathan Edwards and his place in America's intellectual and religious history. The work will be undertaken in the Yale University Library and the subsequent writing will become a portion of Dr. Lee's book on Edwards.

Additional faculty members have been designated as grant recipients from funds established by the Matthew Wilson Foundation. These include Professor Alan Bedell from the Department of German, who will spend the summer in Germany preparing materials for use in the German classes at Hope College. Dr. Allen Brady from the Department of Biology will use the grant to prepare for publication results of his research for the National Science Foundation on the lynx spider in Southwestern United States, Mexico, and Central America. Dr. Elton Bruins '50 from the Religion Department will continue his work in writing a

book entitled *VanRaalte and His People*, a documentary history based upon research which he has conducted in the United States and during his sabbatical leave to the Netherlands last year.

Dr. Earl Curry from the History Department will pursue his research at the University of Chicago and at the Hoover Library in support of a publication on isolationism and American foreign policy. Dr. D. Ivan Dykstra from the Department of Philosophy will spend the summer examining the Problem of Scientific Explanation related to his teaching and other research in the area of the Philosophy of Science.

Dr. Douglas Heerema from the Department of Economics will pursue his writing on a book concerned with Economics for the Clergy, tentatively entitled *Man, Markets, and Morality*. Dr. John Hopkins from the Communication Department will continue his research on the topic "An Investigation of the Speech-Writing Process Employed by President Harry S. Truman and His Staff, 1945 through 1953," with a portion of his time being spent in research at the Harry S. Truman Library, while Dr. Anthony Kooiker of the Music Department will continue his work in the Master Piano Classes of Leon Fleischer at the Peabody Conservatory of Music in Baltimore.

From the Chemistry Department, Dr. William Mungall will represent Hope College at the 1974 Conference on Laboratory Instruction in Chemistry to be held in New York, and following that, the meetings of the Organic Chemistry Curriculum Committee of the American Chemical Society of which Dr. Mungall is a member. Dr. Robert Palma, Religion, will continue his studies in the works of medieval scholars in relation to a Christian philosophy of education at the Pontifical Institute of Medieval Studies and the Center for Medieval Studies at the University of Toronto. From the Department of Spanish, Orestes Pino will study Inter-American Relations and Brazilian Literature at the University of New Mexico. Dr. Robert Reinking, Geology, will conduct research into the affects of highway deicing salts on the surface waters of the Lake Macatawa Drainage Basin, and from the Department of English, Dr. William Reynolds will undertake an investigation of the fiction of a major science fiction writer, Arthur C. Clark, who wrote the screenplay for 2,001: *A Space Odyssey*. Another member of the English faculty, Dr. Peter Schakel will continue his research on Jonathan Swift and pursue the influence of lesser known political satirists of the late Seventeenth Century on Swift's poetry. John Tammi of the Theatre Department will study vocal production for the actor with the Lessac Institute in New York for use in his teaching and coaching of vocal production courses in the Department of Theatre. John Wilson from the Department of Art

will work at the Frick Art Reference Library in New York to study various aspects of Eighteenth Century European art.

BACH FESTIVAL SOLOISTS

Two music students have been declared winners in the ninth annual young artists competition sponsored by the Bach Festival Society at Kalamazoo College. They are Marian Voetberg, a freshman piano major and daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Voetberg of Zeeland and Rhonda Rider, a cello major from Holland and the daughter of Dr. and Mrs. Morrette Rider. They will appear as featured soloists at the Young Artists Program of the Bach Festival Society on March 2 in Kalamazoo.

Miss Voetberg is a piano student with miss Joan Conway of the Hope Music Department. She attended the all state program at Interlochen in the summer of 1972 and the Western Michigan Summer Music Seminar in 1972. In 1973 she was the second place winner in the Grand Rapids Youth Symphony Concerto auditions. While at Hope she serves as organist at Grace Episcopal Church and plans to pursue a career in music education upon graduation. She will perform the Partita No. 1 for piano by Johann Sebastian Bach.

Miss Rider graduated from Holland High School in January and is now enrolled as a special student at Hope. For the past five years she has studied with Dr. Robert Ritsema at Hope and now during Dr. Ritsema's sabbatical is studying with Dr. Herbert Butler of the School of Music of Western Michigan University. During the summer of 1973 she was a member of the World Youth Symphony Orchestra at Interlochen and has for the past two years been the principal cellist with the Grand Rapids Youth Symphony Orchestra. She plans to pursue a performance major in cello at the Oberlin Conservatory beginning next September. She will perform the First Suite for Solo Cello by Johann Sebastian Bach at the Festival.

The Bach Festival at Kalamazoo was founded in 1946 and in the following years has gained international stature as one of the leading festivals devoted to the composers from the Baroque era. The Young Artists Concert, instituted as a part of the Festival in 1965, is intended to encourage young artists to become involved in the performance of music from this period. Soloists are selected through a series of live performing auditions, this year from over 70 entrees.

CHILDREN'S ART AND DRAMA CLASSES

The Hope College Art Department and the Holland Junior Welfare League jointly sponsored a Saturday morning art program for fifth and sixth grade students. The classes were conducted by art education students from the college under the supervision of their instructor, William C. Strudwick. Because of generous financial support by the Junior Welfare League, there was no fee charged for these classes, which ran from February 9 - March 16.

Creative drama classes for children, ages 5-13, were offered during February, March

and April by Mallie Finn, Hope College theatre instructor. The classes emphasized informal drama experience for all children, not just a talented minority. According to Mrs. Finn, "creative drama does not aim to produce plays or to train actors. The objectives, instead, are to encourage self, group and sensory awareness and to provide an outlet for emotional and imaginative response." Activities included in these classes are introductory work in vocal and physical expression, role-playing, improvisation, story dramatization and play-making (creative plays based on their own ideas).

TWO GRANTS

Dr. Lynn M. Hoepfinger, associate professor of chemistry at Hope has been awarded a \$14,700 grant from the U.S. Public Health Service entitled "Isolation and Properties of Bovine Kidney Urokinase".

The project will involve the extraction of the enzyme urokinase from animal kidney tissue, a substance which can be used clinically to remove blood clots in humans. It is currently used to remove clots in pulmonary arteries but it is not used extensively because of its limited supply, high cost (\$1000 per patient), and difficulty of isolation.

"The project hopes to provide the expertise necessary to supply the medical profession with an inexpensive source of urokinase, analogous to the animal source used for the medical supply of insulin," said Dr. Hoepfinger.

Two Hope students are currently beginning the isolation procedure. Tom Kapral from Philadelphia, will do the isolation while Dale Rice from Rochester, New York will determine enzyme purity.

The project will continue for two years and provide research experience for two students working full time during the summers.

The Relm Foundation of Ann Arbor has awarded a grant to professors Brooks and Nancy Wheeler of the foreign languages and literatures faculty to support one year of study in the doctoral program of the department of Classical studies at the University of Michigan.

Mr. Wheeler holds degrees from Dartmouth College, Harvard University, and the University of Michigan, while Mrs. Wheeler holds degrees from Indiana University and the University of Michigan. They joined the Hope faculty in 1968.

FELLOWSHIP RECEIVED

Dr. Peter J. Schakel, associate professor of English at Hope College, has been awarded a \$1,000 post-doctoral fellowship by the William Andrews Clark Memorial Library in Los Angeles for study this summer.

Only six such awards were made from a nationwide competition among scholars of late 17th and early 18th century English literature. Eligible scholars must have received their Ph.D. within the past five years.

The Clark library, part of the University of California at Los Angeles (UCLA), has one of the world's finest collections of publications and manuscripts produced in

England between 1660 and 1740 according to Dr. Schakel.

The topic of the program, which will be held during July and early August, is "The Literature of Controversy, 1660-1740." Each fellowship recipient will be allowed to work on his own project in addition to meeting in a weekly seminar session with the other Fellows. The program will be directed by Maximilian Novak, a nationally known scholar in this field.

Dr. Schakel will continue his study of the poetry of Jonathan Swift, concentrating particularly on his political satire.

As we go to press the following letter inviting alumni assistance arrived from president Gordon Van Wylen:

As you know, Dean Morrette L. Rider, who has served so effectively for the past six years as Dean for Academic Affairs, has resigned from this position. We are grateful to him for all he has done for Hope College during these years.

We are now seeking to identify candidates for this position. We have tentatively decided that in the future the chief academic officer have the title of Provost. We seek a person who will give outstanding academic leadership at Hope College. We believe this person should have a distinguished academic record, and personal qualities and commitments which will enable him/her to effectively identify with and represent Hope College.

We invite alumni to assist us by suggesting the names of persons to serve in this position. Please send recommendations, along with biographical information, to my office.

Thank you for your assistance in this important matter.

TWO GET DOCTORATES

Dean Sommers, assistant professor of mathematics at Hope College, has been awarded his Ph.D. by Ohio State University. Dr. Sommers has been a member of the Hope faculty since 1969. He received his B.S. degree from Huntington (Ind.) College and the M.S. degree from Ohio State. Dr. Sommers' dissertation evaluated the factors used in predicting the potential success of Hope College students taking a course in calculus. One way in which the results of the study will be used is in the strengthening of the advising program for entering freshman at Hope whose course of study includes calculus, according to Dr. Sommers.

Howard M. Iams, assistant professor of sociology at Hope College, was awarded the doctor of philosophy degree in sociology from the University of Michigan on Dec. 16. Using data from the U.S. Census of 1960, Iams wrote his dissertation on the topic of inequality in earnings between men and

women. A paper based upon a portion of the dissertation was presented at the 1973 annual meetings of the North Central Sociological Association. Currently, his work examines changes between 1960 and 1970 in the inequality in earnings between men and women. Iams joined the Hope faculty in 1970. He received an A.M. degree from Indiana University in 1967 and an A.M. from the University of Michigan in 1969.

ENGLISH WORKSHOP

Dr. William Reynolds, assistant professor of English at Hope, attended a workshop in February on new kinds of tests.

Sponsored by the Association of Independent Colleges and Universities of Michigan, the workshop on "Alternate Methods of Evaluating Student Performance in the Cognitive and Affective Domain" was held at Nazareth College in Kalamazoo. It is one of a series of workshops for college faculty supported by the Kellogg Foundation.

Basic assumption of the workshop is that the traditional "paper and pencil test" is no longer adequate, especially with the new learning methods current in colleges. Such learning approaches as seminars, internships, simulation games, and independent study projects require means of evaluation that are innovative yet precise, says Reynolds.

ART WORKS COLLECTED

Works of art by a Hope College faculty member, student and graduate have been added to the permanent collection of the city of Grand Rapids.

Bruce McCombs, assistant professor of art, had an Intaglio entitled "Freeway" accepted. McCombs has won innumerable prizes and awards since 1968, including the purchase awards from the annual exhibits of the Society of American Graphic Artists in 1968 and 1973. His prints have been included in nearly 60 invitational exhibitions through the country.

Debra Van Tuinen, a 1973 Hope graduate from Grand Rapids, had an etching entitled "Mansion" accepted. Miss Van Tuinen is currently pursuing a graduate degree in printmaking at Idaho State University. As the student assistant of professor McCombs, Miss Van Tuinen was given a one-woman show at Hope. During her junior year, she studied printmaking, painting and drawing at the Byam Shaw School of Art in London.

Edwin Redder, II, a senior from Holland, had an Intaglio print entitled "Portrait of Grandfather" accepted. Born and raised in Holland, Redder is a 1968 graduate of Holland High School.

SABBATICALS TO FIVE

The Hope College Board of Trustees has granted sabbatical leave to five members of the faculty during portions of the 1974-75 college year.

Professor R. Dirk Jellema, associate professor of English, will engage in a study of contemporary American poetry with emphasis on the works of William Stafford.

He also plans to complete a book of approximately forty poems set in the state of Michigan.

Prof. Joyce Morrison, assistant professor of music, will engage in a semester of post-graduate study at Indiana University School of Music in the area of advanced study of operatic and oratorio literature, and the art song. While on leave, she will also devote a portion of her time to the study of methodology of voice class teaching, a rapidly growing area of emphasis at Hope, in various laboratory schools throughout the country.

Prof. Frank Sherburne, assistant professor of mathematics, will engage in a program of advanced study at Western Michigan University, including emphasis on several specific areas of mathematics, algebraic structures, linear algebra, topology, and graph theory. A number of courses in these areas will be introduced by Prof. Sherburne on his return.

Prof. Francis Fike, associate professor of English, will engage in the study of the subject "Love as Faith in Victorian Poetry." In this area, he will emphasize study on the works of Arnold, Bridges, Tennyson, Patmore, Browning and Meredith. The subject will relate to Dr. Fike's interest and previous work in the area of Victorian Poetry.

Dr. Robert Brown, associate professor of psychology, will spend a semester of study with Dr. Olav Skardal in the Department of Psychology at the University of Oslo, Norway where he will engage in investigation of course content and instructional methodology employed in undergraduate courses, Introduction to Psychology and the Psychology of Personality.

Hope A Family School

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cial loan officer at the Union Bank of California.

With three small grandchildren, we hope they will become Hope students too. Paul has two girls, Laura 5, and Marcia 3. Ken and Sharon have one son, Brian 3. Blessings on the school and the Alumni Association.

(Editor's note: Anna May's letter makes it very clear that Paul and Ken are 4th generation Hope men.)

New Category?

The suggestion for a new category was received in February from the Reverend H. M. Veenschoten '14: "I am not certain as to the necessary criteria to rate as fourth generation student at Hope. I notice that my grandson, Mark Moerland is rated as third generation. Perhaps you will have to establish a new category and call me a Re-Generation Alumnus. My uncle graduated from Hope with one of the earlier classes. I do not recall the date. He is undoubtedly listed somewhere in the 1880s. His name is William Veenschoten (1871 - editor.) I think he was a classmate of Dr. Kollen (1868 - editor), long time President of Hope (1893-1911 - editor)."

In Memoriam



ESTHER MacFARLANE SNOW, a member of the Hope faculty for twenty-eight years, died on February 19, 1974 in Holland Hospital where she had been a patient for about a month. Death was due to cancer.

A Memorial Vesper Service for Mrs. Snow was presented on Sunday evening, February 24, in Dimnent Memorial Chapel. The Reverend Dr. Glen O. Peterman, minister of Hope Church, Holland gave "The Spoken Word"; the Chapel Choir directed by Roger J. Rietberg, sang.

In the printed program, The Esther M. Snow Vienna Scholarship Fund was announced. The fund will annually provide one or more scholarships to outstanding students planning to spend a summer in Vienna studying Music, German or European Culture.

Mrs. Snow's children, all Hope alumni, and two grandchildren honored their parents' memory by singing in the Hope Church Choir on that Sunday morning. Their father, the late Curtis M. Snow, had been organist and choir director there from 1929 until his death, their mother continued in the work for twenty-one years.

The children are: Curtis M. Snow '45, Serverna Park, Maryland; Robert W. Snow '49, Toledo, Ohio; Janet Snow '49 Pontier, Cedar Grove, New Jersey, and Jean Snow '49 Bloemendaal, Holland. A grandson, Timothy Snow, graduated from Hope in 1973. Another grandson and a granddaughter will enter Hope in the fall.

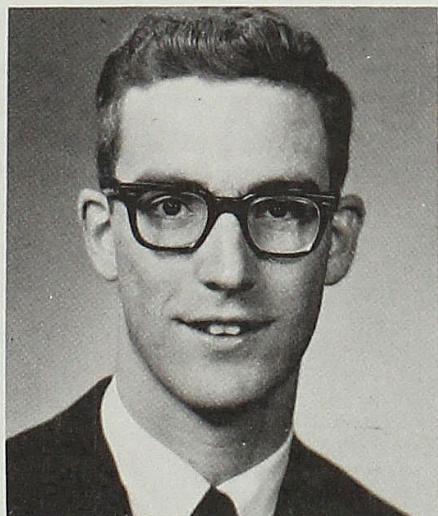
The back cover of the Vesper Service program was a beautiful resume of the life of Esther MacFarlane Snow, 1895-1974. It follows:

Esther Mac Farlane Snow was born in Yankton, South Dakota on July 26, 1895. She died on February 19, 1974 in Holland, Michigan. Her long life was rich and joyful because she was a woman of great vitality and many interests, chief among them people and music. These two pointed the direction for her career. After formal training at Morningside and Oberlin Music Conservatories, she came to Holland with her

husband, W. Curtis Snow, in 1929 when he was appointed the first organist in the newly erected Dimnent Memorial Chapel. Participating with her husband in his many music tasks, she was soon recognized as an accomplished pianist, organist, and choir director in her own right. Thus, when the early death of her husband in 1935 left her as the mainstay of a family of four young children, she was prepared to take over her husband's tasks. For eighteen years she was chapel organist, piano instructor, and director of the Women's Glee Club at Hope College.

When arthritis began to make continuing mastery of the organ more difficult, she confronted it with equanimity and even enthusiasm, and set out at the age of fifty-nine to prepare herself for a second teaching career, turning now to another of her interests, the German language. Armed with an M.A. in German from Michigan State University, she returned to Hope for the final ten years of her teaching career, as Assistant Professor of German — the favorite teacher and inspiration of many a student who was convinced he never could learn a foreign language. When the Hope College Vienna Summer School program was inaugurated, her instinctive way with students, her wit, her constant enthusiasm for enlarging her world, and her former experience with Choir tours made her a natural asset for this program; and for six years she served on the Vienna Summer School staff, up to her retirement in 1965.

Most of Mrs. Snow's creative service centered around Hope College. However, she was active, too, in the life of the church and the community. A member of Hope Reformed Church for nearly half a century, she served as its organist and choir director for twenty-one years. She was a long time member of the Holland Century Club, and at the time of her death was serving as president of a local chapter of the P.E.O. Sisterhood. Surviving her are a sister, her four children, and thirteen grandchildren.



CHARLES EDWARD LAKE, '27, a prominent doctoral student at Princeton Theological Seminary, died on Tuesday, January 1, 1974 at Berrien General Hospital, Berrien Springs, Mich. of an aneurism, a type of brain hemorrhage. He was taken to Berrien General Hospital from Three Oaks,

Mich. He and his wife were spending the holidays with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Louis Lake.

Charles was a 1964 graduate of Three Oaks High School and a 1968 graduate of Hope College. He was graduated cum laude from Hope. During the summer between his Sophomore and Junior year, he was sponsored by the Trinity Reformed Church, Holland, for Inter-city work in the Bronx, N.Y. area under the direction of the Church of the Comforter, Rev. Carl DeJong, pastor.

In 1971 he received his master of divinity degree from Princeton Theological Seminary. He was examined and granted his Preaching License by the Classis of Kalamazoo. He was presently working on his doctoral degree at Princeton. Charles received the Benjamin Stanton Middler prize in 1970 for his Old Testament studies at Princeton.

While at Princeton, Mr. Lake was engaged in field work at the Addisville Reformed Church, Richboro, Pa., the Faith Reformed Church, Levittown, Pa., and the Griggstown Reformed Church, Princeton.

Funeral services were held on Thursday, January 3, 1974 in the First Reformed Church, Three Oaks, where Charles was a member. Participating in the service were the Rev. Bernard D. Ekema, Pastor; Dr. James Cook, from Western Seminary; The Rev. Charles Brown, fellow Doctoral Student at Princeton, and Dr. Bernard Anderson, chairman of the Biblical Department at Princeton. Internment was in the Forest Lawn Cemetery, Three Oaks.

Charles and his wife, the former Suzanna Boonstra '68, were married July 1, 1967 in Rochester, N.Y. They resided at 203 Loetscher Place, Princeton, N.J. Survivors are his wife and parents.

The First Reformed Church of Three Oaks is establishing a memorial fund in honor of Mr. Lake to be designated The Charles Lake Memorial Prize in Philosophy at Hope College. Annual awards will be granted to deserving students selected by the Philosophy Department faculty. Contributions may be sent to the First Reformed Church, 301 N. Elm St., Three Oaks, or to Hope College, Holland.

ADELAIDE DYKHUIZEN, niece of Hope's late President Edward D. Dimnent, died December 15, 1973, in Adelaide, Australia, where she and her twin sister, Geraldine, were visiting. They had planned to spend Christmas with a nephew, Dr. Daniel Dykhuizen in Canberra.

Miss Dykhuizen, her sister and brother, the late Harold D. Dykhuizen, lived on campus while they were students. Their bachelor Uncle, president of the College, had recruited his sister, their mother, Mrs. Nell Dykhuizen, to be his official hostess. The twins, Adelaide and Geraldine were graduated in 1926, Harold in 1930.

Born in Chicago, Miss Dykhuizen taught in Holland for forty-two years, nine years in the Hope High School and thirty-three years in E. E. Fell Junior High School. She taught English, French and history.

Always active in educational circles, Miss Adelaide served as president of the Holland



teachers' organization and since her retirement continued her interest on the policy-making level for retired teachers. One of the early members of Holland's Junior Welfare League, she had served as its president. At the time of her death, she was active in the AAUW, the Woman's Literary Club, the League of Women Voters, the Holland Century Club, and was secretary of both the Holland Garden Club and the BW Chapter of PEO. She was a member of Hope Church and its Guild for Christian Service.

Miss Dykhuizen was a member of Hope's Second Century Club and a supporter of many College activities. She and her sister participated in four of Hope's Alumni Tours. She, with other members of her family, decorated and furnished the Presidents Room in Graves Hall in memory of Edward D. Dimnent.

Miss Dykhuizen's survivors are her sister Geraldine, Holland; a sister-in-law, Lucille Walvoord '31 Busker, North Muskegon; a nephew, Daniel Dykhuizen, Australia; and two nieces, Ann Dykhuizen Brenner '68, Evansville, Indiana, and Jane Dykhuizen Schroeder '70, Holland.

MARION MERSEN BAKKER '23, wife of the Rev. Dr. Cornelius Nicholas Bakker '23, Manchester, Ct., passed away in Hartford Ct. Hospital, February 7, 1974. She was a descendant on her mother's side of the Visschers who came with Dr. Van Raalte and founded Holland in 1847 and Hope College in 1866. She was the daughter of Dr. and Mrs. John J. Mersen; the sister of the late Mrs. Willard Van Hazel (Grace '22) and of Cathalene Mersen '27 of Tucson, Ariz. She is survived by her husband, two sons, Cornelius Jr., Braintree and Wellfleet, Mass.; Peter Mersen '57, Pleasant Valley, Ct.; two daughters, Mrs. Arthur Merrill, Alexandria, Va., and Mrs. Paul F. Moritz, Suffield, Ct.; twelve grandchildren. One grandson, Bron C. Gervais, is a freshman at Hope College.

MARY LA HUIS COITH was born July 13, 1891, in Zeeland, Mich., the daughter of Albert and Christine Den Herder La Huis. She graduated from Hope College in 1913 and was married in Zeeland, on August 31, 1917, to Herbert S. Coith of Bloomington, Illinois. They celebrated their 50th wedding

anniversary in Cincinnati, Ohio, where they had made their home since 1924. Dr. Coith, who was Chemical Director of the Procter and Gamble Co., died in March, 1968. Mrs. Coith remained in the family home and died after a short illness on November 23, 1973. She is survived by two children, Mrs. Richard C. Vanderhoff of Colorado Springs, Colo., and Dr. Robert La Huis Coith of Cincinnati, six grandchildren, and five great grandchildren.

ELIZABETH GROTEMAT DYKSTRA '08, widow of the late Rev. John D. Dykstra, died December 19, 1973, at Resthave Nursing Home, Morrison, Ill. Elizabeth Grotemat was a charter member of the Sorosis Society and it's first president. Mrs. Dykstra and her husband served the Reformed Church in America for 36 years. They served pastorates in Illinois, Michigan, North Dakota, Iowa, Wisconsin and South Dakota. Survivors include five children, Josephine Thostenson, Iowa City; David, Hempstead, N.Y.; Daniel, David, Calif.; Philp '41, Tinley Park, Ill.; Rachel Spindler '48, Chicago; eight grandchildren, and two great grandchildren.

As we go to press we are informed of the death of **JACK HAAKSMA** '51 on February 9, 1973 in Utica, N.Y. Mr. Haaksma, a chemistry major at Hope received an M.A. in educational administration from the University of Michigan. He was appointed registrar of Mohawk Valley Community College, Utica, in September 1971. He had previously been registrar of Tusculum College, Greeneville, Tenn.

MILDRED VERMAIRE HOOGERHYDE '48, wife of David M. Hoogerhyde '49 of Grand Rapids, died on January 13, 1974 in Grand Rapids. Mrs. Hoogerhyde, a former teacher, was active in the work of the Central Reformed Church. Surviving are her husband; a son, Douglas, a freshman at Hope College; a daughter, Mary Kay, at home; a step-mother, Mrs. Martin Vermaire, and a sister, Mrs. Gerald Walcott, all of Grand Rapids.

PETER J. MULDER '21, of Holland and Florida, died in Holland Hospital, February 7, 1974. A graduate of Hope Preparatory School as well as of Hope College, Dr. Mulder received his masters' degree from the University of Michigan and his Ph.D. from the University of Pennsylvania. He was a research physicist and a professor at Swarthmore College and the University of Pennsylvania, later teaching at Schippensburg College, retiring in 1961. After retirement he taught at Albion College and Northern Illinois University. In 1967 he moved to Florida and in 1969 returned to Holland to live with a sister Mrs. Madge Wolterink. Surviving in addition to Mrs. Wolterink are two daughters, Marjorie Kohler of Bryn Mawr, Pa. and Shirley Kresge of Oldwick, N.J., six grandchildren, another sister, Gertrude Damstra, Walnut Creek, Calif.

LOUISE WARNSHUIS OGGE '09, wife of the Rev. Dr. M. Verne Ogge '11,

died December 26, 1973 at her home in Ramsey, N.J. Mrs. Ogge taught in the Holland Public Schools from 1909 until 1913. She and her husband served pastorates until his retirement from the Glen Rock Community Church in New Jersey. Surviving Mrs. Ogge are her husband; one sister, Anna Pyle '13, Muskegon, and a brother, Henry Pyle, Ionia, Mich.

JANE POTTS '20, an assistant director of the Vocational Rehabilitation of the Handicapped, State of Michigan, for 23 years, died December 14, 1973, in Sioux Center, Iowa. Miss Potts had been a high school teacher in Carson City, Buchanan, Houghton, Flint and Ecorse, Michigan and in Tucson, Ariz. She was also a personnel director of The Buick Corp., Flint, Mich. She retired from her Vocational Rehabilitation work in 1963. She had received a masters degree in personnel administration and vocational education from the University of Michigan in 1934. Miss Potts served on many professional boards in Michigan and was a life member of the National Rehabilitation Counseling and Welfare League for retarded children and the Welfare League for Adults. She was a member of the Central Reformed Church, Sioux Center, where she moved in 1968 to be near her niece, Mrs. Francis A. Kusters. Preceded in death by three brothers, Francis, Willis '17 and Everett '32, and a sister, Mrs. Anna Meengs, Miss Potts is survived by one sister-in-law, Mrs. Willis J. Potts of Sarasota, Fla.

MARIE VANDENBRINK PRINS, class of 1918, wife of the Rev. Jacob Prins '24, died suddenly on February 9, 1974 at her home in Holland. A native of Holland, she was a member of the First Reformed Church, Zeeland, at the time of her death. Mrs. Prins had served on the Board of Domestic Missions of the RCA. Surviving are her husband, a daughter Doris Alderink '50 of Kentucky, and a son Robert '54, Emporia, Kan.; 11 grandchildren; two sisters, Marguerite Meyer '17, and Bernice Van Eenennaam, both of Holland; a brother, Dr. John VandenBrink, Elmhurst, Ill.

At press time we learned of the death of **ELDRED C. VANDERLAAN** '11 of San Francisco, on February 20, 1974. Mr. VanderLaan received the B.D. from New Brunswick Seminary in 1917; the Th.D., Union Seminary, 1924.

Births

John and Mary Esther '67 Baxter, Robert Alexander, Jan. 2, 1974, Portland, Or.

James and Donna Engelsman '66 Bishop, Brian James, Jan. 28, 1973, Kalamazoo

Terry '67 and Carol Howes '66 Carlson, Amy Jo, May 10, 1970 and Kristin Louise, Nov. 25, 1973, Grand Haven

Alan and Lois Garber '62 Cary, Jonathan David, June 21, 1973, Grand Haven

Thom '64 and Barbara Bruggers '66 Cooney, Brian Jeffrey, Sept. 1, 1973, Medina, Oh.

Timothy '69 and Lynda Brown '69 Crandall, Jilayne Lissa, Jan. 6, 1973, Grand Rapids

John '58 and Phyllis Stienstra '58 De Fouw, Denise Diane, Feb. 6, 1974, Lyndhurst, Oh.

Garrett '58 and Mary De Jong, Marjorie Beth, Sept. 4, 1973, Ypsilanti

Joseph '68 and Susan Pickard '68 De Kock, Stephen Joseph, Aug. 24, 1973, Kalamazoo

Robert '52 and Elisabeth Schmidt '52 Dennison, Susan Elisabeth, Oct. 13, 1973, Piscataway, N.J.

David C. '58 and Betty Dethmers, Margaret Aleen, Dec. 19, 1973, Brookfield, Wi.

Donald '61 and Karen Dykstra, Gretchen, Oct. 12, 1970 and Donald Wayne, May 16, 1973, New Brunswick, N.J.

Robert '70 and Peg Adams '70 Faulman, Sarah Elizabeth, Nov. 23, 1973, Muskegon

Robert J. '65 and Frances Welcher '65 Folkerts, John Brian, Feb. 11, 1968; Karen Renee, Oct. 9, 1969 and David Alan, Dec. 3, 1972, Rahwah, N.J.

Germaine and Norma Rens '67 Greenfield, Paulette Nichole, Sept. 21, 1973, Redlands, Ca.

Steve '70 and Nancy Banta '71 Harms, Jennifer Elizabeth, Dec. 15, 1973, Farmington

Gordon and Sharon Tein '64 Hassing, Benjamin Gordon, Aug. 29, 1973, Cincinnati, Oh.

Gary '67 and Gilda Davis '69 Holvick, Gary Carmen, Dec. 18, 1973, Holland

John '66 and Marcia Bennink '67 Knapp, Daniel Aaron, Jan. 26, 1973, Ypsilanti

Michael '66 and Marjorie Wiegman '65 Laughlin, Mary Elizabeth, June 7, 1973, Antioch, Ca.

Robert '61 and Marilyn Fugazzotto '61 Looyenga, Suzanne Marie, Oct. 27, 1973, Rapid City, S.D.

Paul '63 and Kristin Blank '63 Lucas, Anne Elizabeth, Dec. 19, 1973, Tiffin, Oh.

Paul '63 and Lesley Brower '64 Meyer, Julie Marie, Jan. 31, 1973, Bloomington, Mn.

Benjamin '68 and Barbara Zandstra, '68 Nykamp, Russel Theodore, Jan. 5, 1974, West Allis, Wi.

David and Nancy Slagter '65 Olsen, Robert John, Nov. 8, 1973, Columbus, Oh.

Mark '67 and Donna Droppers '67 Oudersluys, Gretchen Rachelle, Aug. 5, 1973, Kalamazoo

John '61 and Darlene Parkes, John Edward III, Oct. 10, 1973, Evanston, Il.

Glenn '64 and Mary Pietenpol, David John, Sept. 2, 1973, Sparta

William '65 and Martha Poppink, Andrew William, Ap. 10, 1973, Tecumseh

Jack and Julie Morgan '69 Pounders, Laura Helen, Oct. 19, 1973, Birmingham, Al.

David '72 and Meryl Hage '72 Ritsema, Patrick Russell, Jan. 2, 1973, Muskegon

Alyn '60 and Catherine Rynbrandt, Michael Todd, July 26, 1973, Okemos

Ralph '70 and Jane Schroeder, Matthew Harold, Aug. 22, 1973, Holland

Donald '68 and Marcia Scott, Jarred Michael, Sept. 8, 1973, Arthur, Il.

Robert '65 and Judith Grabinski '66 Smit, Amy Kathryn, June 5, 1973, Clarendon Hills, Il.

Robert '64 and Susan Soodsma, Alyson Lee, Nov. 10, 1973, Lafayette, N.J.

Larry and Joyce Medema '70 Stancill, Stephen Arthur, Sept. 13, 1972, Johnson City, Tn.

Bud '68 and Georgia Gearhart '70 Timmer, Matthew Ryan, Dec. 29, 1973, Holland

Thomas and Sharon Schaap '63 Vaalburg, Randall Thomas, Mar. 15, 1972 and Wendy Joy, Dec. 19, 1973 Ann Arbor

Theodore '67 and Karleene Van Dam, Mark Richard, Alhambra, Ca.

Gerard and Gwynne Bailey '70 Vanderwall, Robert G., Nov. 21, 1973, Holland

Steven '69 and Pamela Reynolds '68 Vander Wee, Carrie Ann, Sept. 12, 1973, Wyoming

Ernest '68 and Mary Jo Girtton '69 Willcocks, Michelle Marie, Oct. 2, 1973, Parma, Oh.

David '64 and Mrs. Zwart, Monika Noel, Dec. 25, 1973, Grand Rapids

Advanced Degrees

Daniel Bird '72, M.S.W., U. of Michigan; May 1973

Linda L. Bruin '61, J.D., Wayne State U., June 1973

Rev. Donald Buteyn '48, D. Div., Whitworth College, January 1974

Leanne Ridderhoff '64 Crabbe, M.A. Reading, Chicago State U., January 1974

Steven Dills '71, M.A. Biology, Western Michigan U., December 1973

Kathy Gaylord '72, M.S. Counseling and Personnel Services, SUNY at Albany, May, 1973

Lou Voskuil '68 Grit, M.A. Elementary Education (Reading), U. of Minnesota, August, 1973

John Jaecker '68, Ph.D., Chemsitry, Purdue U., October, 1973

David Lubbers '68, M.B.A., Western Michigan U., April 1973

Laurie Hammon '69 Mol, M.S.W., SUNY at Stony Brook, February 1973

Norman Mol '69, M. Div., Union Theological Seminary, May 1973

Ernest Otto '70, M.S. Geology, U. of Utah, September 1973

Robert Peterson '70, M.B.A., Golden State U.

Ruth Yzenbaard '65 Reed, Ph.D. En-

glish, Michigan State U., August 1973

Bruce Reichardt '67, M.D., U. of Maryland Medical School, June 1973.

Linda Hutchings '72 Roberts, M.A. Journalism, Northwestern U., June 1973

Mark Roberts '72, M.A. Public Administration, U. of Arizona, January 1974

M. Patricia Russell '67, M.A. Humanities, Hofstra U., February 1974

Reda Rynbrandt '57 Santinga, M.L.S., U. of Michigan, August 1973

Rohn Ritzema '69, M.A. Self-Concept and Experimental Education, Goddard College, Fall, 1973

Terry Sheffield '67, M.A. International Relations, Boston U., January 1974

Neal Sobania '68, M.A. African Studies, Ohio U., December 1973

Ruth Ziemann '67 Sweetser, M.A., U. of Chicago, March 1973

Maria Rodriguez Toy '65, M.A. Spanish, Middlebury College, Spain, 1967

William Van Eck '68, J.D., U. of Akron, December 1973

Paul Wassenaar '68, J.D., Wayne State U., 1972; L.L.M., New York U., 1973

David E. White '60, M.S. Management, Naval Postgraduate School, 1973

Marriages

Donald De Bruyn '73 and Brenda Boote '72, Dec. 28, 1973, Hull, Ia.

Robert De Vos and Nancy Te Winkle '64, Jan. 6, 1973, Philadelphia, Pa.

James Forman and Barbara Kouw '66, Dec. 10, 1973, Boone, N.C.

Sewell Hayes '57 and Virginia Nielson, Feb. 3, 1973, Ashland, Me.

Steven Klingenberg '73 and Patricia Kort '74, Dec. 29, 1973, Wyckoff, N.J.

Douglas Mephram and Deborah Northrop '72, July, 1973, Farmington

James Morehouse '72 and Linda Swinyard '74, Dec. 30, 1973, Kinderhook, N.Y.

Howard Morris and Sally Plagenhoef '73, Nov. 16, 1973, West Palm Beach, Fl.

Chris Noteboom '64 and Jeannette van Monsjou, July 7, 1973, Brussels, Belgium

David Price '73 and Judith Droog '72, Aug. 24, 1973, Cerritos, Ca.

Maurice Robbins and Diane Dotter '71, June 9, 1973, Scotia, N.Y.

John H. Schadler '70 and Deborah J. Beatty, Jan. 10, 1974, Elizabeth, Pa.

Calvin Van Holland '71 and Janis Freese, April, 1973, Reno, Nv.

Francis Wallace and Sally Tellman, '62, Feb. 15, 1974, St. Thomas, V.I.

Michael Wiersma '73 and Wendy Susan Prather '73, Feb. 22, 1974, Saginaw

Hope in Print

Fred Brieve, Ed.D., '50, professor of education, Virginia Technical University, Blacksburg, a book **Educational Planning**, Charles Jones Company, Publishers, Worthington, Ohio.

Phillip Engel '31, a West Ghent, N.Y. poet, a new book of poetry, **Sale of Property & Other Poems**, Johnny's Ideal Printing Co., Inc., Hudson, N.Y. 1973.

James Z. Nettinga, B.D., Th.D. '34, director of advance programs for the American Bible Society, New York City, a book **Quotations From the Bible for Modern Man**, Pocket Books, New York December 1973. This is a companion volume to **Good News for Modern Man** and **Psalms for Modern Man**, highly successful American Bible Society Books reprinted by Pocket Books, 1973.

Area Alumni Meetings

Alumni Director Tom Houtman and Mrs. Houtman entertained 46 at coffee in their home in Midland on Sunday January 13. This get-together was held in conjunction with President Van Wylen's preaching in Midland Reformed Church.

Len and Ann Rowell made the arrangements for an evening dessert and coffee in the United Methodist Church Conference Center, Cherry Hill, New Jersey, on January 25. Thirty-three alumni, parents and prospective students from the Philadelphia and southern New Jersey area attended.

Rev. Bernard Brunsting, D.D., Hope Trustee, handled the arrangements for a coffee in his Greenville Community Reformed Church, Scarsdale, New York on January 26. Thirty from the Westchester, New York and New Haven, Connecticut areas attended.

Alumni Director Rev. Jack and Ruth Hascup invited alumni, parents and Hope friends on Long Island to an afternoon coffee on Sunday, January 27. This get-together was also tied to Dr. Van Wylen's preaching in Mr. Hascup's church, Brookline Reformed, Glen Head, in the morning.

President Gordon Van Wylen, Vice President Robert De Young and Alumni Secretary Marian Stryker attended the Philadelphia, Westchester and Long Island meetings.

Evelyn Albers Wilson arranged a meeting for 40 west coast Florida alumni, friends, parents, and vacationers in St. Petersburg Christian Reformed Church on February 20.

Willard and Martha Bicknell took care of arrangements for dinner in Williamson's Restaurant, Ft. Lauderdale, February 22. Forty attended despite the critical gasoline situation in Florida.

President and Mrs. Van Wylen, Kurt Van Genderen, director of planned giving, and Marian Stryker attended the Florida meetings.

Since August 1972, Dr. Van Wylen has met 1054 alumni, parents, or friends of Hope in twenty-three organized alumni meetings.

Thirty alumni attended a get-together following the Hope-Central basketball game in Pella, Iowa on December 8, 1973. Vice President Robert De Young, Director of College Relations Tom Renner and Marian Stryker attended.

There's Magic at Her Fingertips

By Bernice Mancewicz



This story about June Dunster '52 Stoppels appeared in the December 26, 1973, Grand Rapids Press, reprinted with permission. Alumni interested in her book may order from June at 1852 Sherman, SE, Grand Rapids. Price \$3.25 includes handling.

Needles and pins, needles and pins.

That's how June Stoppels' day begins.

"Not really, laughs Mrs. Robert M. Stoppels, but she admits that many days are spent cutting, pinning, sewing, gluing and decorating — puppets.

Her hobby started in childhood, became an avocation during the teaching days and now has branched into a part-time vocation.

It also has resulted in Mrs. Stoppels' puppetry handbook, published in November.

The book, "Puppets! Puppets Everywhere!" is a collection of simple puppet patterns anyone can make from such things as construction paper, paper plates, cereal boxes, socks, dish mops, margarine dishes, sponges, shirt sleeves and detergent bottles.

"You can use anything else your imagination decrees," adds Mrs. Stoppels.

There are patterns for ears, arms, bodies, feet, noses and eyes. There also are simple drawings showing how to put them together, and there is a section devoted to making stages and two scripts for plays.

A theater buff, Mrs. Stoppels has acted in Grand Rapids Community Circle plays, with the Civic Theater and in other area theaters.

She directed the Lollipop Players at Circle in the Park, held children's workshops in Civic Theater and worked with the Carousel Players and Thornapple Community Theater. She directed the Kentwood High School production of "Lil Abner" and the senior play at Godwin Heights. She also will direct that school's junior play.

She teaches puppet theater for both the East Grand Rapids and Grand Rapids recreation departments and currently is involved in the Women In Transition program of Grand Rapids Junior College, in which she teaches "creativity" and "creative play with children," courses geared to puppetry.

"The latter courses will be held in Grandville, Caledonia and Jenison schools," she explained.

She has a master's degree in elementary education and taught for many years. Now she free-lances and finds herself involved in teaching puppetry.

"Puppeteer Don Battjes and I both taught a class in puppetry at Ottawa Hills Elementary," she said.

"We both found that children who are shy about acting can overcome this if they use puppets.

"I especially like it in theater classes. A shy child will speak his lines well if he has a puppet who supposedly is saying them. Later, when he puts down the puppet he retains that confidence.

"Children are smart. You give them an idea and they enlarge on it. So I often show them how to make a puppet and they come back with an original character, besides."

Her own children grew up surrounded by puppets. "Robin, now 19, John, 15, and Michael, 10 sometimes found themselves talking back to the puppets I created."

She not only makes puppets for herself but donates them to worthy organizations. The Salvation Army, school groups, 4-H clubs, Campfire Girls and Bluebirds have been recipients.

"It can get costly if you use special materials, but I generally find remnants of cloth and use paper cups, plates and odds and ends, so it isn't too expensive," she said.

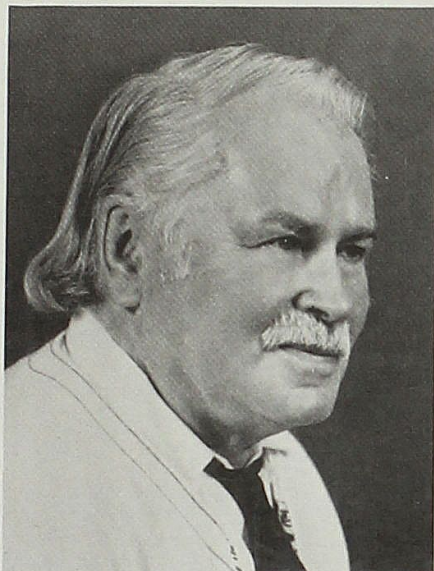
Now that she has written one book, she intends to do another, but "first I want to see this book become a success.

"I went to the library to check on puppet books to make sure mine was different. It is. It is especially easy for anyone to follow and I'm happy about that.

"So far, my publisher (Glory Publishing Co.) has released the book in only a few bookstores. Perhaps after January it may be distributed in places like supermarkets — I don't know for sure."

Although she spends a good deal of her time in a make-believe world, she also is very involved in the real world. "Working with children and people is a satisfactory existence. It has many rewards." Knowing she is dealing in a commodity that gives pleasure pleases her.

Poetry Published



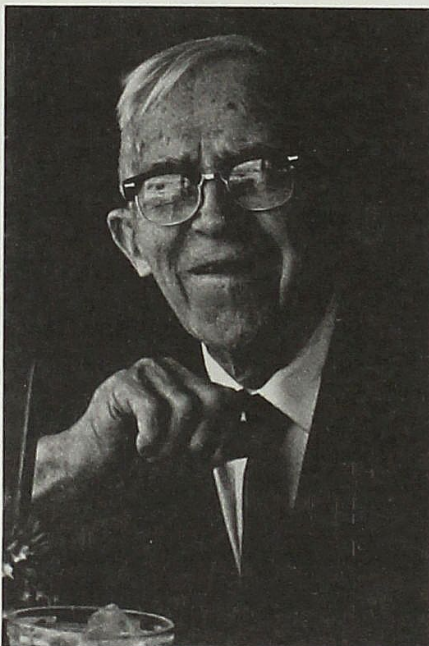
Phillip Engel '31 of West Ghent, N.Y. had a new book of poetry published in 1973. Titled *Sale of Property & Other Poems*, it was published by Johnny's Ideal Printing Co., Inc., Hudson, N.Y. A review of the book in *The Register-Star*, Hudson, December 24, 1973 included, "Mr. Engel writes with a perceptiveness and directness sadly lacking in so many contemporaries. His prosody is competent-mainly cast in Shakespearean sonnets, quatrains, and well-honed couplets. A chastening aura pervades much of his work and stands as a stark collective conscience to the community . . . A series of ten sonnets entitled, 'Youth and Age' paints the instinctive relationship of a rare friendship . . . there are poems that exhibit reportorial excellence. 'On the Inside' is a shocker, a seven-page free verse expose of the barrenness of the lives lived by inmates of an institution for the mentally disturbed . . . Here is a rare insight and compassion for the individual, combined with a laudable sense of fair play, a sympathy for the plight of administrators and therapists who must deal willy-nilly with the problem . . . Mr. Engel's virtue lies in the faithful rendering of fact and emotion, suffused with just enough of the Apollonian art to lift the subject and set it apart for poetic scrutiny."

Hope alumni will be interested in 12 "Hope College Sonnets" published in the new book. Subtitled "Between the twenties and early thirties," these sonnets have titles: Arriving There, Dutch Setting, Student Activities, Transition-Time, Extra-Curricular, The Pageant, Green Caps and Ties, Testing Philosophies, Holding Onto The Past, The Pull, College Citadel, and Tulip Time.

The editor of this magazine found College Citadel particularly appealing: Hope is the dream. The college citadel / Where all your ill-begotten plans turn chaff / The place where irritation in the shell / Becomes

the pearl. The words comprise the epitaph / You have become a consecrated one / Clinging to shreds of goodness still intact / For Hope has brought you momentary sun / Supplying courage which you would have lacked / Remember those who sought so hard to bring / Those better things before your youthful gaze / You walked where good prevailed, and Christ was King / Those were impressive, spirit-building days / This knowledge is a rampart through the years / To brace you when you are unnerved by fears.

Zack's 104th



Zachery Veldhuis, P1890, DVM, celebrated his 104th birthday on December 19, 1973, at his home in Hamilton, Michigan. Norman Timmer and Marian Stryker of the College staff called on him, presented him with a card, a poinsettia and a jingle: Zack, Zack, Zack / What a great fellow / He cared for dogs, cats / Horses, chickens and cows / Inspected the meat / His fellowmen eat / By the ton / In Hamilton / And now he's One Hundred / And not one, but four.

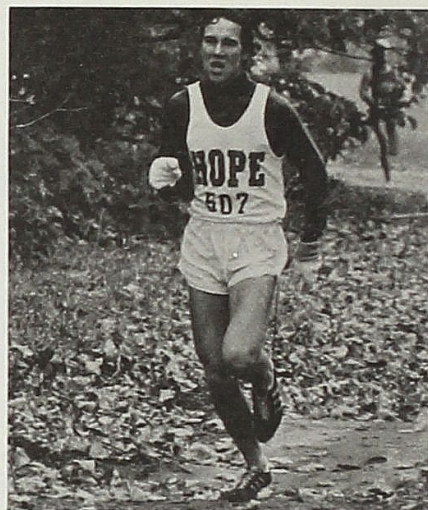
Dr. Veldhuis gave up driving his own car just two years ago and has restricted his practice as a veterinarian to emergency cases only. He can't say no when an animal needs help.

The doctor, who lives alone, gets a ride downtown each day, picks up his mail and stops for a cup of coffee at a local restaurant before returning home.

Dr. Veldhuis was graduated in 1896 from the veterinary department of the old Detroit College of Medicine, now part of Wayne State University, one of the few veterinary surgeons in the U.S. at the time.

He left Detroit and moved to the Allegan County community of Hamilton in 1945 where he set up practice after working for the government inspecting animals and doing field work for bovine tuberculosis.

Hope Runner In London



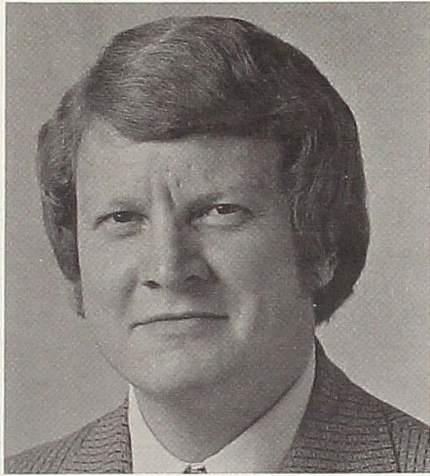
Phil Ceeley, a junior from Royal Oak, Michigan, studying this semester in London, made the BBC newscast and London's two main evening newspapers on February 21. The Association of Tennis Professions, in London for the Rothmans International Tournament at the Royal Albert Hall, challenged the public to join Australia's Rod Laver and other top tennis stars in a light-hearted run before play in the tournament. The public left the tennis stars trailing, the first of them to finish was back in 20th place.

"The race was won by a 20-year-old American, Phil Ceeley who is studying in London at the IES. He was given a tennis racket and two tickets to the Rothmans finals," as reported in the London newspapers.

Phil is on the pilot program of the IES in London. The director sent the "cuttings about Phil" to Dr. Paul Fried, director of International Education. A quote from the director's letter, "Phil made it on the main newscast of the BBC last night where he was seen setting off on the race with the large letters HOPE on his athletic chest." At Hope Phil finished first in the League last fall and was the Most Valuable Runner in the MIAA.

Phil wrote to Dr. Fried, "London is great. I have joined a running club, the Polytechnic Harriers (established 1883). I have already been to Wales with the Club for a training weekend . . . The program at IES has high standards. Along with 10 books, there are papers and tutorials. The professors are very good. I am doing an independent study from the economics professor on International Monetary Cooperation. I ran into Bill Weller (son of Ken and Shirley Weller - attended Hope last year - editor) who is on the Central College program last week. We are going to get together and drop in on Coach Kraft." (George Kraft of Hope's athletic staff is on sabbatical in England - editor).

New Director



Kenneth J. Quakkelaar '64 has been promoted to director, marketing research of Mead Johnson Laboratories, Evansville, Indiana. Mr. Quakkelaar has been with the Company since 1965, the year he received an M.B.A. degree from the University of Michigan. His first position was business intern. Since then, he has been a planning analyst; manager, new business analysis and his most recent position – associate director, marketing studies.

In his new position, Mr. Quakkelaar will be responsible for developing and maintaining information systems required to monitor competitive activity in all of the Company's markets. In addition, the department which he will direct is involved in all areas of new product searches, advertising research and attitude and opinion surveys among the Company's various audiences.

M.I.A.



Captain Richard Elzinga, USAF, has been missing in Southeast Asia for almost four years, but recently some new information has raised hopes that he is still alive.

Captain Elzinga entered the Air Force in April 1966 and was transferred to Cam Ranh Bay, South Vietnam, in October 1969. Five months later, stationed in Thailand, he flew his first mission and disappeared.

Last March an enemy Pathet Lao agent was captured carrying three \$20 Bank of America Travellers Checks signed by Elzinga. The agent said the checks were

given to him by another Pathet Lao agent in order to buy supplies. They were in excellent condition and dated two weeks before Captain Elzinga's disappearance. The recovery of the checks supports the belief that he is alive. Captain Elzinga is the son of the Rev. Richard '30 and LaMila Brink '35 Elzinga, Rt. 1, Box 253, Shedd, Oregon. Mr. Elzinga is the minister of the Wilamette United Presbyterian Church.

Village Square 1974



Mrs. J. Norman Timmer and Mrs. Walter Boerman are shown holding the map of the booths at the 1973 Village Square.

Plans are under way for the 18th annual Village Square to be held on Friday, AUGUST 2 in Holland, Michigan on the Hope College Campus. Mrs. J. Norman Timmer, 1974 Village Square Chairman announces a new feature this year will be an Art Show demonstrating art work by Hope faculty and students. Alumni and friends of

Hope are invited to donate works for this project.

Food will be available throughout the day and a Chicken Bar B-Q will be served during the dinner hours.

The Auction will be held outside the Cultural Center. All of your favorite booths from other years will again be well-stocked.

All of the day's proceeds are used for dormitory furnishings on Hope's Campus.



This is Alumni Day at Marigold Lodge

CLASSES PLANNING REUNIONS in 1974 at Marigold Lodge on Alumni Day, Saturday, May 11

1924 (Golden Anniversary), 1929, 1934, 1944, 1949, 1954, 1959, 1964, 1969; Class of 1939, Luncheon, 12:30 p.m. Sandy Point, Port Sheldon
50 Year Circle, 4:30 p.m., Phelps Hall

ANNUAL ALUMNI DINNER 1974, Saturday May 11, 6:30 p.m., Phelps Hall

THE 109TH BACCALAUREATE, Sunday, May 12, 1974, 11 a.m., Dimnent Memorial Chapel

THE 109TH COMMENCEMENT, Sunday, May 12, 1974, 3 p.m. Holland Civic Center

TULIP TIME IN HOLLAND, May 16-19

VILLAGE SQUARE 1974, Friday, August 2, Mrs. J. Norman Timmer, Chairman

HOMECOMING 1974, Saturday, October 19, Hope vs Albion